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# HELP RUSSIA: PEACE BASIS

## MOVE TO SINK GERMAN SHIPS STIRS SENATE

## Lodge Asks Facts on Attitude of U. S. Peace Envoys.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 19.—(Special)—The disposition of many Republican and some Democratic senators to view with alarm the attitude of the American peace delegation in Paris was intensified today by the cable report representing the plenipotentiaries as favoring the destruction of the German warships instead of their division among the allies.

Condemning the proposal unqualifiedly, Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, Republican leader in the senate, introduced a resolution calling for information from the administration. The resolution provides:

"That the secretary of state be directed to inform the senate whether the report that the peace delegates of the United States at Paris are advocating the destruction of the ships of war surrendered to the allies and to the United States is correct, and, if so, by what authority the delegates are demanding the destruction of enemy property in part surrendered to the United States."

*Senate to Tell Vows.* The senator said he will state his views at length in an address to the senate tomorrow or Saturday.

The Associated Press account of the proposal to sink the surrendered German warships confirms a Washington dispatch to THE TRIBUNE before the president departed for France. It was suggested in administration circles at that time that it might be advisable to destroy the ships in order to avoid division among the allies over their division and to demonstrate that the nation fighting Germany have no selfish purposes.

Whether the president favors the proposal never has been disclosed. Democratic senators, uncertain as to the president's attitude, maintained silence.

*What Republicans Say.* Typical expression of Republican opinion follows:

HARDING.—It is unbelievable. PENROSE.—The proposition is ridiculous. I cannot imagine any sane person advocating it. Why should we destroy these vessels when we are short of tonnage?

BORAH.—I am utterly opposed to such a proposition. I do not believe the president ever approved it. In my opinion a plan of this kind could not have been authorized by any responsible official. If the Germans owe the allies and the United States money it certainly is not dishonorable to take their ships in payment. They cannot make full restitution in a thousand years. Nothing sentimental should interfere with taking the ships on account.

*Want Wilson to Intervene.* Now the Arabs have sent Sherif Feisul to Paris to appeal to President Wilson to intervene in their behalf.

Has this war crazy world produced any more amazing spectacle than that of this Arab chieftain coming from Asia to the palace of Versailles to ask the president of the American republic to intervene between Great Britain and France in the interest of the independence of Syria?

One thousand eight hundred dollars was found in the possession of the woman giving the name of Mrs. Clemantine Standard and \$740 on Mrs. C. Von Hryber. The third woman, Mrs. Augusta Van Bruggen, had \$16.

The police were unable to account for the money, as the Belgians at St. Charles are laborers, employed in the mills of the Molina Malibale Iron company. The women would offer no explanation.

Incidentally this incident, which really contains serious possibilities, gains additional color and strangeness from the fact that Sherif Feisul's chief of staff is a young Englishman, Col. Lawrence, who before the war was a modest undergraduate at Oxford. Col. Lawrence, who became distinguished as a soldier, will aid the Arab chieftain at the peace conference in Paris.

*Holy Sticks by Demands.* More immediately serious, if not dangerous, is the situation which involves Italy and the Serbs and Jugoslavs. At a preliminary conference in London three weeks ago, attended by Premier Clemenceau and Marshal Foch of France, Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino of Italy, and participated in by Lloyd George and other members of the British cabinet, it is understood that Italy was told it must modify and lessen its demands for Albania and the Dalmatian coast.

Italy was not willing to do this and has now announced it will not fix a date for the demobilization of the Italian army.

So far Italy seems inclined to play the part of a bad boy at the peace conference. This is a good illustration of the part which conflicting national ambitions will inevitably play in making the final peace agreement difficult to frame.

*Strike Deprives Tacoma  
of Light, Heat, and Power*

Tacoma, Wash., Dec. 19.—A large part of this city and all the municipal street car lines were without electricity for light, heat, or power for a few minutes late today, as a result of a strike of more than 2,000 electric workers.

The sudden demand, a general increase in wages. Candles and oil lamps were in sharp demand until electricity again was made available.

*Even Masked Balls Barred  
in Winnetka to Check 'Flu'*

To dance or not to dance, that is the question that agitated the board meeting of the village of Winnetka last week. Dr. D. M. McKenzie, president of the board, maintained that it would be to spread the germs of influenza, while William D. McKenzie, president of the board, maintained that it would be to spread the disease in the holiday season was a direct violation of all laws of personal liberty. One member suggested that no dances be held except masked balls. It was finally decided that there will be no dancing in Winnetka this holiday season.

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in the main chamber of the suite in which the American commission has been established. This room, in which the American delegation will do its share in the reconstruction of the world, is a beautiful rose hall with gilt framed mirrors and cut glass chandeliers. It is on the third floor of Hotel Crillon, its windows looking out over the Place de la Concorde. Wooden racks and frames have been placed along one wall, ready for maps, for the hall is to be a real workshop.

It is the first time since his arrival in Paris that the president has been accessible to the correspondents. He smiled as if enjoying his Paris visit immensely. He looked as if his sea voyage and the tremendous welcome accorded him in the French capital had put him in the pink of form.

#### At Conference Table.

President Wilson sat at the conference table with Secretary Lansing, Mr. White, Gen. Bliss, and Col. House, while a battery of photographers took the first picture of the American commission in Paris.

In response to inquiries the president, just before he left the room, gave briefly his impressions of the welcome given him by Paris. One striking line as the president described his emotions was this:

"I saw in the eyes of the crowd just the very feeling that I had for them—it was a sort of reciprocal feeling."

The Wilson smile is becoming proverbial in Paris. It was genial as the president stepped ashore at Brest. It now is radiant. It is even more beaming with effulgence than the Taft smile or the Roosevelt smile, and Paris is smiling back even more radiantly.

The United States has taken over a row of buildings extending from the Hotel Crillon to the Rue de Rivoli and here a large group of experts has been installed. In the American entourage are men who rank as authorities on almost every conceivable question that will come up at the peace conference.

More than one hundred came over with the president on the George Washington. Others are arriving on other ships. They are equipped with libraries and documents on every subject that will come up and it will be possible to tap the authority on that particular branch.

#### Negro Educator an Adviser.

As an illustration of the elaborate preparations made, Robert R. Mouton, successor to Booker Washington as head of the Tuskegee Institute, is here at the invitation of the government to furnish information on the Negro race and to handle questions that may come up concerning the African peoples.

In addition to the civilian experts, military and naval experts are assigned to headquarters. The peace negotiating establishment contains 400 men already.

An army of newspaper correspondents is on the scene. As to news distributing facilities, the capacity of the cables out of Paris for newspaper purposes is placed at about 20,000 words hourly.

"Copy" is piled high on the spindles, as in Denver during the 1908 Democratic convention, and dispatches are reported to be running from three to five days late, and even longer. To help relieve the congestion a special mail service has been put in to catch boats leaving almost daily from French ports.

#### Peace Preparations Slow.

The actual activities on peace negotiations are slow. The situation is like a political convention in the states with only a few delegates on the ground, and the doppers trying to insure who will dominate the balloting. The delegation from Kansas and making a sorry job of it. As yet nobody has got down to brass tacks on any questions at the peace table, and there is much moaning among the correspondents.

The heavyweight magazine writers who sailed on the Orizaba and found no trouble at all in settling nightly to their own satisfaction such trifles as freedom of the seas, self-determination, and the raising of economic barriers are now speaking weekly.

It becomes more and more evident that most of the real negotiations will be through a caucus system similar to that in the states; that it will take at least five or six months to reach a settlement, and that the signing up of the peace treaty in the hall of mirrors at Versailles will be the ratification of what has come out of the caucuses of our parliaments.

The proposed league of nations will be one of the largest fundamentals to be discussed at the peace table. Up to the present, its strongest support appears to come from the American contingent. It will be months undoubtedly, before the discussion comes to a head.

#### Entente Is Lukewarm.

So far both British and French sentiment on the question seems quite lukewarm, apparently due in considerable degree to other questions that impinge, such as freedom of the seas and how far trade barriers are to be removed.

Among well informed Frenchmen and Englishmen one hears hints that if a proposal for a league of nations is advanced in an elaborate form, America may be invited to throw the Monroe doctrine into the pool as a part of its contribution to the settlement.

#### CONFERENCE IN LONDON

PARIS, Dec. 19.—[By Associated Press.]—American observers deduce from the pressing invitation to President Wilson to come to England during Christmas that the conference of the statesmen with the president there would logically follow. It is understood, however, that the president favors the holding of all conferences in Paris as far as possible.

It appears to be virtually settled that all the actual peace conferences will be held in Paris and that the informal exchanges, which will lay the groundwork for the final deliberations, also will be carried on there.

For long the president will remain in London, but has not been determined, but as he is due to return for the opening of the conference here the first week in January it would seem that he could not remain in England for long.

#### Hurry Back to U. S.

The reason given for President Wilson's desire to make an early visit to England, it is understood, is that he has found it might be necessary to return to Washington much sooner than he had expected. Whether this means a change in the president's entire program, including his journey to Italy, is not known here.

An interesting feature of the president's intended visit is that the present British cabinet is technically not in a position to speak for the government until the result of the recent elections is known. Dec. 28.

There is little doubt, however, that

## British Editor Sees No Conflict with U. S.; Holds Wilson's View of Sea Has Changed

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The Evening Standard tonight says: "From an American diplomatic source I learn there is no reason to fear there will be any serious difficulty between President Wilson and the allies in the application of his principles at the peace table."

President Wilson, on the questions of navigation and freedom of the seas, has changed his standpoint considerably since he laid down his original line of policy, and as a result of the congressional election and the subsequent Republican statement of policy have not been without effect, upon his government.

There is, in fact, in American diplomatic circles a growing conviction that the alleged differences regarding such vital questions as the league of nations and the freedom of the seas are more imaginary than real, and before the president returns to Washington a complete understanding will have been reached.

#### Take on Many Aspects.

The various questions comprised in the general doctrines of the freedom of the seas will take on many different aspects, according to whether and how far there is a practical realization of the ideal of a league of nations. The strength of naval and military ar-

gments for the future, for instance, will depend largely on what guarantees can be obtained under the league scheme.

The president's first speech in Paris removed one misapprehension which has existed in the quarters here.

With regard to the question of the restoration of the devastated territory. There has been little real fear in the best informed London circles that there could be a serious question of cleavage or dispute. There has been brought about by the general election of last week what some political controversialists are describing as a new policy on the part of the British government.

#### Change of Program.

Indemnities, it is declared, are now to be claimed from Germany by Great Britain instead of restoration and reparation previously in the British program.

Certain pledges have been given by men who will doubtless form a part of the next British government. It is only after these pledges are examined to determine what is the policy of the new British government.

So when the Pall Mall Gazette says tonight the president "has discovered that the allied plans are not as far advanced as he thought they were and he

Premier Lloyd George and his assistants have been reflected.

#### Reception for Wilson.

The committee of France-America gave a reception this evening in honor of President Wilson. The president was received by Gabriel Hanotaux of the French academy. During the course of the reception President Wilson had conversations with Senator Leon Bourgeois, Prof. Henri Bergson, and Baron Matsui, Japanese ambassador to France.

President Wilson and Mrs. Wilson late this evening motored in a driving rain to the Franco-American committee rooms on the Champs Elysees, which is lined with captured enemy guns. They were received by several hundred members and guests and President Wilson shook hands with all of them.

#### Secret or Open Sessions.

There is still much uncertainty whether the sessions of the Versailles conference will be open to the public or be secret. The American diplomats, however, seem eager to have them open, as far as possible, for many reasons, among them the declaration of President Wilson that the conduct of diplomacy should proceed in the open.

Still it is said they are in accord with the president that the discussions cannot be conducted as freely in the secret and quiet of the council chamber.

It is asserted that President Wilson still holds to the view that it would be preferable for him not to sit at the peace table.

#### Number of Delegates.

This preference, it was said today, is connected in a measure with a divergence of opinion among the various missions as to the number of persons who should represent each of the nations. It is understood that Great Britain is pressing for five members from each nation and in addition is considering the claims of her own colonies for representation.

Among those who are supposed to know it was asserted today that President Wilson has a particular idea of his own as to the number of delegates, which he is likely to give in honor of the king by Stephen Pichon, the French foreign minister, tomorrow, and that each state should have at the conference, but that he is quite convinced that the members of the conference should not be apportioned arbitrarily by the larger powers. It was added that he feels this position is in consonance with his expressed attitude that no one nation should assume the role of master at the conference.

#### BRITISH IN THE DARK.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—The British government still was without definite information regarding the exact date on which President Wilson will visit London. The officials, however, are making tentative arrangements to greet him immediately after Christmas, as that is the time suggested by Mr. Wilson for coming to this country.

There is undisguised confusion in American centers here as to the result of the change in President Wilson's plans regarding his coming to London, and the most directly interested are seriously awaiting an official notice of the president's early coming, which was not to be had today.

#### Seek to Learn Plans.

With nothing more definite than the British official announcement of last night to work upon, the naval representatives are making endeavors to

reach American naval headquarters in Paris to learn what they can concerning the president's trip.

In the absence of such notification it is recalled that the president is reported to have ceased to consider himself an official guest of France when the official reception ceremonies ended. It is also pointed out that the American naval authorities abroad were not notified that the president was coming to Europe until he was almost here, and that the plans of the navy to escort him were in reality unofficially made.

U. S. Battleships Gone.

All of the American battleships that were in European waters have sailed for home, but there are plenty of American destroyers for the escort of President Wilson's ships.

Premier Lloyd George has postponed his visit to France and the preliminary conversations between the president and the premier, which would have been held in the French capital, will be held in London.

King George, it is announced, has canceled the arrangement which provided that he should go to Sandringham palace for Christmas, and he will remain in London instead to welcome President Wilson.

#### HAIL ITALIAN KING

PARIS, Dec. 19.—King Victor Emmanuel, accompanied by the head of the Italian throne, the prince of Piedmont, and a small escort, arrived in Paris today. A warm welcome was given the Italian monarch by President Poincaré, Premier Clemenceau, and the other ministers, and the throngs in the streets acclaimed him vociferously as the procession left the station and went to the Italian embassy.

This evening the king paid a visit to President Wilson at the Murat mansion. It had been expected that Victor Emmanuel and President Wilson would meet in the hall of mirrors at Versailles, but the king had been received by Queen Helena to extend the same invitation to Mrs. Wilson.

So dense were the crowds that they could not get a glimpse of the king and the heir apparent. As the king was being fired the king and the prince of Piedmont were cheered loudly.

The Italian colony was out in force to receive the king. In the windows were placards saying: "Let us all salute our king, our democratic king, during four years lived at the front of a soldier."

Members of the American expeditionary forces also participated in the welcome. In every corner trucks were lined up on the boulevards overlooking the route of the procession.

President Poincaré tendered a luncheon to the king at the Elysee palace.

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is anxious that there should be a general speeding up; it is merely a recognition of the fact that the new British government has not yet been formed and that until it is and has before it all the pledges given by its members and all the facts of the European situation it is impossible for Lloyd George to make a precise pronouncement on even such vital matters as the freedom of the seas and the league of nations.

Times Wants Action.

Commenting upon the reported feeling in Paris that the preliminaries to the peace conference are being unnecessarily delayed and that there is a disposition to blame the British authorities for this, the Times today says there is real need that the interallied discussions begin without a day's delay.

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## JOFFRE IS MADE ONE OF FRANCE'S 40 IMMORTALS

### Marshal Praises U. S. at Reception Into the Academy.

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Commenting upon the reported feeling in Paris that the preliminaries to the peace conference are being unnecessarily delayed and that there is a disposition to blame the British authorities for this, the Times today says there is real need that the interallied discussions begin without a day's delay.

This is especially true, the newspaper believes, as regards the preliminary conversations among the respective leaders, mentioning in particular President Wilson, who comes fresh to the conference.

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Marshal Joffre wore the undress uniform of the French academy this afternoon.

He was received by the president of the French academy, M. Léon Poincaré, and a number of other members of the academy.

"It is as a marshal of France that I enter the academy," said the noted soldier.

After reviewing the part played in the war by France, Belgium, and the other allies, Marshal Joffre said:

"However, so much heroism and resolution would not have sufficed had not the allied peoples taken part in the battle. It was in the conviction that they were fighting for right that the allied nations found the strength to sacrifice and the certainty of ultimate victory. The spirit of the allied peoples has been evoked, in terms which are ever present in my memory, by the great President Wilson."

America Threw In All.

Alluding to his visit to the United States in 1917, Marshal Joffre said:

"In order that France might live in prosperity, that Belgium might re-establish herself, that liberty might reign, and that right might be reinstated, America arose and resolved to throw into the fight her last and her last dollar."

History does not record a more marvelous achievement than that of millions of men voluntarily breaking away from their peaceful pursuits to cross the ocean to certain death; to come thousands of miles from their country and give up their lives for a noble cause, a great ideal.

"In a brotherly embrace France and America have given each other their faith, a pledge for the present and the future."

#### FOUNDED BY RICHELIEU.

The Académie Française was founded by Cardinal Richelieu in 1635 for the purpose of controlling the French language and regulating literary taste. It was suppressed in 1793 by the revolutionaries, but was re-established as the Académie Française in 1803.

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leniency to the German people.*

*The communication of the minis-  
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## HOHENZOLLERN PALACES THAT MAY BE CONFISCATED BY THE REVOLUTIONARY GERMAN GOVERNMENT

Ex-Emperor and Family Have Ninety Estates Scattered Throughout Former Empire and Europe, Most of Which, They Claim, Are Their Private Property and Not Subject to Seizure



**THE MARBLE PALACE AT POTSDAM**—This was the summer home of former Crown Prince Wilhelm. It was in this historic palace that Frederick William Hohenzollern was born, May 6, 1882. It was here he took his bride, Cecile of Mecklenburg-Schwerin, when they were married in 1905. As the name implies, the palace is built entirely of marble. The structure was begun in 1787 but not completed in its present form until 1843.

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**PARIS, Dec. 19.—**A Warsaw dispatch says that the landing of Polish troops at Danzig began yesterday. The Polish army is reported to number 50,000 men. The representative of Poland at Berlin has left Germany.

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**Lettish Republic Asks Help.**

**STOCKHOLM, Dec. 19.—**Bolshevik troops marching westward have reached a point 100 miles east of Riga and representatives of the Lettish republic have asked the entente legations here for assistance in fighting the Bolsheviks. The soldiers of Lettish are advancing immediately behind the retiring Germans. They are taking hostages, pillaging, and levying.

**Kiev Held by Separatist Troops.**

**ODESSA, Monday, Dec. 16.—**By the Associated Press.—Ukrainian separatist troops of the Petrusa forces based at Kiev, the capital of the Ukraine, on Saturday. The hetman of the Ukraine abdicated yesterday.

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**BERLIN, Dec. 19.—**"Germany is ruined for generations, politically, industrially, and economically," Dr. Walter Rathenau, president of the German General Electric company, is quoted as declaring to the Berlin correspondent of the Daily Express.

**"It is the greatest calamity that has happened to any country in two thousand years,"** added Dr. Rathenau, who is one of the largest employers of labor in Germany.

**"If the indemnities are high we shall have nothing with which to expand our industries and there will be a great tide of emigration, probably to South America, the far east, and certainly to Russia. The result will be the Germanization of Europe."**

**The congress finally agreed to ap-  
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after the plenary session, which had  
already thirty workmen and several  
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**WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 19.—**[Special.]—A fight over the Republican caucus nomination for the speakership of the next house was assured today when Representative Gillett of Massachusetts formally announced his candidacy.

**Threat to Attack French.**

**Dr. Lutsenko, the commander of the**

**republican troops occupying Odessa and most of Ukraine, said today:**

**"Regarding the announced arrival of French troops we will consider them**

**friends only if they come with the**

**purpose of assisting us in the main-**

**tenance of order during the establish-**

**ment of a democratic government. We**

**have overthrown the aristocratic gov-**

**ernment."**

**Two More Illinoisans Give Lives.**

**BLOOMINGTON, Ill., Dec. 19.—**[Special.]—Relatives today received word of the death of Frank Jordan, Nov. 7 of Lincoln, an aviator whose plane was shot down. Frank Jordan, lawyer, of this city, was reported to have died on Nov. 11 of wounds received in action.

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Senators Told of Vast  
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Washington, D. C., Dec. 12.—Propaganda machinery set up by the German government in Berlin and throughout the world to spread Germanic ideas and the methods of financing this in the United States were described today to the senate investigating committee by Alfred L. Becker, deputy attorney general of New York.

The witness said his investigation for the French government of the stress of Bolo Pasha, executed as a French traitor, in getting \$1,883,000 of German money in this country for the purchase of the Paris Journal, but added that since apparently the Paris Journal did not change its attitude of loyalty toward France, the transaction was a "pure swindle" of the German government.

Mr. Becker read documents gathered partly by the British secret service showing that the German foreign office and other government departments in Berlin maintained elaborate systems both before and after the European war began to influence thought all over the world, working mainly through the press.

### Traced Back to 1909.

Journalists, college professors, bankers, business men, and commercial counselors—many of them being citizens of the country in which they worked—were employed, Mr. Becker said. Yet the propaganda was insidious, with an attempt to conceal its real nature or purpose.

As early as 1909, said Mr. Becker, George Von Skal, a former German service officer and later auditor of accounts of New York City, was told, on a visit to Berlin by a representative of the foreign office's press bureau, that he would be available in case of a future war to keep in touch with the press in the United States. There was no evidence, however, that he acted in this capacity after the United States entered the war, the witness said.

The publication of a German edition of Current Literature, a magazine of which George Sylvester Viereck in the United States and his father, Louis Viereck, in Berlin, were promoters, was mentioned by the witness together with the German museum at Harvard and the movements to exchange professors with American universities, as German propaganda moves.

One example of enemy propaganda, said Mr. Becker, consisted of the systematic effort late in 1917 to spread throughout the world the idea that Germany was on the verge of internal revolt and that the Kaiser would soon be overthrown. The fact that the dissemination of these reports was encouraged by the chief German government censor was convincing evidence that the efforts were propaganda, intended to paralyze the prosecution of the war, the witness opined.

Mr. Becker told the committee that enemy propaganda in the United States was disclosed incidentally during his investigation of the activities of Bolo Pasha in promoting the financing of the Paris Journal and in what was described as an attempt to form a new alliance between the Journal and William Randolph Hearst's newspaper.

### Bernstorff Jumped Into Debt.

The witness told of an unsuccessful effort by Bolo in conferences with E. G. Grace of the Bethlehem Steel corporation to get the company to purchase the Journal, but added that he believed this move was "entirely camouflage, intended to cover up the real purpose of his visit to the United States.

Former German Ambassador Von Bernstorff assented so readily to Bolo's proposal that the German government advanced the money to purchase the Journal, the witness said, that the New York investigators proceeded on the theory that Mr. Hearst might have arranged the purchase before Bolo came to the United States. On this point, however, Mr. Becker said:

"I do not say today that I consider this theory in any way established."

German propaganda aimed at the United States and conducted by a Prof. Brinckmann at The Hague still is at work, the state department was informed today.

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## MAKES PLEA FOR SQUARE DEAL TO JUGO-SLAVS

John R. Palandech Presents Historical Data and National Qualities Entitling Liberty-Loving People to Right of Self-Determination, to Recognized Unity, and to Commercial Facilities.

BY JOHN R. PALANDECH.  
(Editor and Publisher of the United Serbian and the Balkan World.)

**M** R. PALANDECH is a Serbian-Jugo-Slav from Dalmatia, who received his early education. Since immigrating to the United States thirty years ago, Mr. Palandech has made eleven trips to Dalmatia and has made a first-hand study of Jugo-Slav problems and aspirations.

In view of the great importance that is at present being attached to the Jugo-Slav problem, which should be carefully considered at the peace conference in Paris, and must be, not only in justice to the Jugo-Slav people, but for the future safety, peace, and progress of the world, justly and satisfactorily solved, there is now considerable discussion being carried on before the American public on this subject.

Those who know the history of centuries of struggles, suffering, and sacrifices of the Jugo-Slavs, more especially the Serbs, are free themselves to realize their long sought ambitions of national unity, can easily understand that the world cannot rightfully expect permanent peace in Europe unless the Jugo-Slav question is justly solved on national, ethnographical, and economic lines.

### Propaganda of Abuse.

Italian propaganda in America against the Jugo-Slavs has reached a stage where it is no longer a political discourse, but misrepresentation and abuse heaped upon peaceful and liberty-loving people who ask only justice and self-determination, as enunciated by President Wilson. Fortunately the better informed and democratically inclined element of the Italian people are not part of the effort to belittle the aspiration for self-government of a smaller and less fortunate but heroic and deserving race.

Italy fears, according to Italian writers, that the American press and public are ignorant and not well informed of the Jugo-Slav situation. I believe the American people understand our problems, and the Jugo-Slavs would only be glad to have them sit as judges in this case. To refute some of the erroneous statements that have been made it is necessary to point out that Jugo-Slavs, Serbs, Croats, and Slovenes are one and the same people, divided by their enemies in three branches; they speak one language.

### Deny Jugo-Slav History.

Italian writers are of the opinion that the Adriatic question, some claim, is the most important idea, never heard of until now, others quote Italian authors who wrote of Jugo-Slavs a hundred years ago. Most of their army of propagandists in America claim that Jugo-Slavs have no history, civilization, culture, or literature. Some claim they are a barbaric and backward people, unfit for self-government, and that they should consider themselves fortunate to be ruled by Italy. Some are showing sympathy for Serbia, offering her the courtesy of a greeting to the Adriatic Slavs. The well known historian S. G. Slaveni, in a letter to La Serbie of Geneva, condemned every territorial conquest not justified by ethnographical or ethical reasons.

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Many Similar Views.

Like views have also been expressed by Minister Orlando, by Corriera della Sera, and many other noted men and publications.

Italians contend that the Adriatic sea ought to become a closed Italian lake. This would bottle up from across the sea Jugo-Slavs residing in Dalmatia, Istria, Carniola, and Gorica. The offer of Italy's spokesmen to give Serbia an outlet on the Adriatic sea without her national unity with Croats and Slovenes would leave her in an disastrous position if not more so, than before the war. Such a proposition Serbia could not accept.

### For Safety of World.

For the safety, peace, and progress of the world a fair and friendly compromise and a just agreement are necessary and must be reached between these two great peoples bordering on the Adriatic. Jugo-Slavs are sympathetic to the national unity of her people and her future safety, and Italy should place no obstacle in the national unity, political and economical future, and happiness of the Jugo-Slavs.

Historical rights cannot in this enlightened age be considered, because if those were so there is scarcely a province in Europe belonging to any nation to which another nation might not have historical claim. The Jugo-Slavs have the natural and ethnographical right to these lands. They are the lands that these ancestors have cultivated, and built-up lands that have been exploited and robbed by their oppressors, and if there be any justice in this world there is no reason or question why these people should not be permitted to live their own lives in peaceful pursuit of their future happiness and fortunes in friendship and brotherly love with their neighbors, as I am sure Jugo-Slavs would be glad of the opportunity to do, with an allegiance to no one but their own country and reverence to him who rules and guides the universe.

habit the city, while the country surrounding is purely Slovene. Gorica, which the Italians have changed to Gorizia, has a population of 249,658, of which 90,119, or 36 per cent, are Italians and 165,039, or 62 per cent, are Jugo-Slavs. In the districts of Carniola, that they claim for strategic reasons, there are practically no Italians. Therefore, from the ethnographical point of view and if self-determination of people is to prevail, Italy has no right to any part on the east side of the Adriatic.

SANTA WINS NEW LAURELS IN TALK FOR WARSAVINGS

Santa Claus yesterday got off his pedestal as a gentleman with the distinction of a saint and from the war savings booths at Clark and Madison streets read Chicago people a mild but effective lecture because of their indifference in buying stamps. The city has subscribed less than one-tenth of its quota.

"Listen, all you people hurrying by," he panted, "in the shopping crowds. This is Christmas. If it is happy for you it is because 2,000,000 men went over to France and won. They've got to come back. They must be taken care of."

"Some need eyes; some need legs; some need arms. Many have suffered greater losses still. All need looking after. War savings stamps will make their Christmas and their future brighter."

Scores responded.

Eighteen maximum subscriptions have been reported from the postal districts. One star, making 18, was won by two, making total sales at the cold star mothers' street booth and the one in the North American restaurant \$28,000. Total sales in hotels and restaurants amount to about \$200,000. Total sales in buildings and at street booths are more than \$94,000. The post office placed its total for the day at \$96,698.

### U. S. Officer Killed by Guards at German Camp

COPENHAGEN, Dec. 18.—[By the Associated Press.]—Delayed.—The killing of Lieut. Coheeney, an American airman, in the German prison camp at Stralsund Dec. 5, is reported by three British officers who have arrived here. The American lieutenant, the officers say, went outside the barbed wire for a moment and the German guards fired three times at him.



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1846 War Songs	Victor Mixed Chorus
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1846 Guitars from "Jack o' Lantern"	Victor Light Opera Co.
1846 Hearts and Flowers—Intermission	Victor Concert Orchestra
1846 Glow Worm—Day	Pryor's Band
1846 The Mocking Bird (Bird Voices by Kellogg)	Alma Gluck
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## HITCHCOCK HITS POSTOFFICE FOR WAR BREAKDOWN

Senate Votes to Nullify  
Zone System for Sec-  
ond Class Mail.

BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.  
Washington, D. C., Dec. 19.—[Special.]—Amid charges of "miserable incompetency" against the postoffice department the senate, by a vote of 34 to 22, today ratified the amendment to the revenue bill practically nullifying the zone system for second class mail matter.

In the course of the debate preceding the adoption of the amendment Senator Hitchcock, Democrat, of Nebraska, chairman of the foreign relations committee, bitterly arraigned both the post office department and the war department for what he termed "the disgraceful breakdown" of the mail service between the soldiers in France and their families in the United States.

Senator Hitchcock's attack was provoked by a statement made by Senator McKellar, Democrat, of Tennessee, to the effect that the entire mail service to and from the American Army in France was, in part due to the overburdening of the postoffice department with second class matter, composed largely of newspapers and magazines.

**Explanation Will Hardly Do.**

"I am sure the explanation of the senator from Tennessee for the defective mail service between the United States and France will hardly do," Senator Hitchcock said. "As a matter of fact, there is comparatively little second class mail that goes to France, and therefore it could not be held responsible for the failure of delivery there. On the other hand, the second class in this country is very large and the delivery of first class mail in this country is entirely satisfactory."

"The only explanation for the failure to deliver the mail to the soldiers in France and for the failure of the letters of soldiers in France to be delivered to their families in this country is, in my opinion, rank incompetence, and I take this occasion to say so."

**Most Disgraceful Breakdown.**

"It is one of the most disgraceful breakdowns of the postoffice department in the first place and of the war department management in the second place," Senator Hitchcock said. "From the time of their departure from home the folks at home have been deprived of the letters from their soldiers."

"The senator knows from his service on the military committee," Senator Hitchcock answered, "that repeated efforts have been made to ascertain the cause of this miserable breakdown and the committee has been unable to get anything like an adequate explanation of who are responsible for it."

The action of the senate on the postal zone system was a direct slap at the postoffice department. The amendment provides a rate of 1 cent a pound on second class matter within the first and second zones and 1 cent a pound on matter beyond the second zone.

**RETURN CABLES AFTER TREATY?**

New York, Dec. 19.—[Special.]—Postmaster General Burleson will not extend his theory of government ownership to the cable lines and will return them upon the ratification of the peace treaty, according to Newcomb Carlton, president of the Western Union and federal cable director, who returned today after conferring with Mr. Burleson in Washington. Full financial assistance is to be offered to the companies. Mr. Carlton said, especially to the postmaster general, carries out his reported intention of broadening and extending America's cable facilities.

**WIDOW SUES FOR \$7,000 INSURANCE.**  
A suit for \$7,000 was filed in the Municipal court of New York by the widow of the Life Insurance company, in behalf of Mrs. Katherine Dancy, 7822 Ridgeland avenue. The bill alleges that the insurance company owes her \$7,000 on a policy on her husband's life.

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## URGE HASTE FOR NEW PARK PLAN ON SOUTH SHORE

Citizens Tell Subcommittee Views, and Objection Springs Up.

Details of the proposed south shore park plan were explained yesterday before a subcommittee of the city council committee on railway terminals, which is considering an ordinance providing for the improvement and for ratifying an agreement between the Illinois Central railroad and the south park board, which the courts already have confirmed.

Property owners along the lake shore appeared before the subcommittee to protest against the ordinance. The aldermen declared their objections were of a nature which could be overcome. Most of the objections seemed center on the outerparkway, east of the proposed lagoon, the final step of the project.

The property owners favored the inner parkway, but declared against the outer parkway on the theory that this would mean a system of landlocked bathing beaches which would result in stagnant water. The objections touched the portion south of Thirty-first street. Only one objection was made to the plan north of that point.

### Urge Committee to Hasten.

Mrs. E. E. Smith of the Woman's City club, representatives of the City club, H. H. Hettler, chairman of a special committee of the Chicago Association of Commerce; F. B. Oliver of the Chicago real estate board, and Walter B. Ladd, secretary of the Chicago Plan Commission, were among those who urged the subcommittee to do all in its power to hurry in carrying out the improvement.

Henry W. Lee of South Chicago declared against the plan. He said it was a "land steal" on the part of the Illinois Central railroad, and that "it masked something mighty suspicious."

**Favor Line of Beach.**  
G. A. Hires and William H. Stuart, representing property owners along the south shore, declared the improvement should be along the line of a continuous bathing beach from Thirty-first street south to Fifty-first street. They wanted no lagoon or outer parkway. Mr. Stuart said there should be no bathhouses along this territory, nothing but a wide strip of sandy beach and clumps of trees.

"We want to aid the city all we can in having work started on this improvement," said Mrs. Smith.

### Most Important Matter.

"This probably is the most important matter before the council," said Mr. Hettler. "We need work for the boys when they come home from Europe. We are anxious to have this improvement carried out, and we hope there will be no serious objections made. Make it go and don't stop."

"I have opposed this scheme for several years," said Mr. Lee, "and the further along it gets the worse it looks. This plan provides for carrying freight across the parkways. This will spoil the parkways, I think. I am opposed to the outer harbor feature. The harbor should be farther south. This plan seems to be one to cover up a land steal by the Illinois Central railroad, and it masks something suspicious. With the packers on the

## SHRAPNEL

Fifty students at the officer material school at Great Lakes received their commissions as ensigns yesterday. Illinois men commissioned were: F. Hill, 8563 Ingleside avenue, Chicago; G. E. Oppelt, 217 Plum street, Aurora; S. C. Wilkins, 534 North Dearborn avenue, Chicago; E. L. Corine, Balaclava; S. V. Hayworth, 514 North Lakewood avenue, Chicago; M. Loeb, 5017 Ellis avenue, Chicago; H. Portis, 5140 Michigan avenue, Chicago; R. Richardson, 625 Haven street, Evanston, and G. H. Page, 127 Flora avenue, Pecoria.

A final service flag dedication and patriotic rally is to be held tonight at St. Timothy's hall, West Huron street and North Central Park avenue, under the auspices of the Thirty-second Exemption District Patriotic league. The program will include a series of short talks, music, and dancing.

Francis R. Sullivan, formerly of Waukegan, has accepted with Marshall Field & Co., has been accepted as a Knights of Columbus overseas secretary, and will sail from New York this week. A fleet of roller kitchens is a part of the Knights of Columbus service for furnishing hot coffee, chowder, etc., "Fighting's army." Mr. Sullivan will probably be assigned to assist in the distribution of these supplies.

A meeting of the One Hundred and Eighth Supply Train auxiliary will be held at the Stratford hotel at 8 p.m.

south parkboard making a secret pact with the railroad in 1906 on riparian rights, this thing is suspicious."

**Reply by Mr. Hettler.**

In answer to this Mr. Hettler said: "It seems that some people must love children ever to raise them, to think the way this man does."

Walter L. Fisher, who drew up the proposed ordinance, said Mr. Lee's claim were groundless.

"It is rather remarkable," said Mr. Fisher, "to have a man like Mr. Lee, who has had all his objections explained away, come in here and seek to muddle up affairs. The outer harbor development is insisted on by the federal authorities. This must be in the ordinance, or the war department won't give its consent to fill in a foot of the lake front. The harbor feature of the ordinance may never be real-

ized, as lake commerce will have to develop before it can. The government wants the territory from Sixteenth street to Thirty-first street reserved for outer harbor development."

**Boulevard Over Railroad.**

Mr. Hires said he wanted the Illinois Central right of way roofed over and made a boulevard.

Mr. James B. Bowler objected to this provision, which would tend to give the south sides use of the lake and shut off residents of the west side.

Mr. Stuart declared against the lagoon and outer parkway. He said the people needed a bathing beach and inner parkway south of Thirty-first street.

Messrs. Moody and Oliver defended the plan.

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## MOTT DEFENDS 'Y'; ADMITS SOME CRITICISM JUST

War Council Head Says Tightening Up' Work Is Under Way.

New York, Dec. 19.—Dr. John R. Mott, chairman of the war work council of the Y. M. C. A., discussed in detail here tonight adverse criticisms directed against the organization by soldiers here and in France. He vigorously defended the work of the organization as a whole, but did not deny that in isolation there was just ground for complaint.

Dr. Mott said 300 men and women workers had been recalled from France because of unitlessness and announced that there would be a general "tightening up" to correct conditions which had resulted in criticisms. He said George W. Perkins, Mortimer H. Schiff, and F. S. Brockman have gone abroad for the express purpose of eliminating, so far as possible, any further cause for complaint.

Due to Partial Knowledge.

"It is the history of every great effort that the mistakes are made, and no one, no matter how exalted his person or how unimpeachable his integrity, can escape. Other important organizations have passed through a similar experience. So with the Y. M. C. A. There is no phase of its work that has been left untouched by critics. Much of the adverse comment is due to misconception or to partial knowledge."

Dr. Mott then took up in question and answer form the criticisms most frequently heard. He explained that the Y. M. C. A. had not concerned itself specifically with the wounded and ill because it had been agreed this work should be done by the Red Cross. He denied that the association had been profiting by the operation of its canteens overseas. Not only has the organization made no profit, he declared, but it has lost thousands of dollars.

Many Supplies Given.

Dr. Mott also asserted that it was not true that the Y. M. C. A. furnishes free to the men overseas nothing but writing paper, although he said it was the policy of the organization to give free service and not primarily free supplies. He added, however, that \$15,000 worth of supplies were distributed gratis in September of this year in addition to \$15,000 "excess of cost over selling price on supplies sold."

Besides giving away vast quantities of supplies in front line works, he added, the Y. M. C. A. supplied the army overseas between July 1 and November with \$28,000 worth of athletic supplies and to more than "hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of magazines and educational supplies."

Dr. Mott admitted that in cases gift tobacco was sold at Y. M. C. A. canteens, but said it was due to the fact that shipments were not properly marked and were sold to the Y. M. C. A. by the quartermaster. In every case where this tobacco was returned the Y. M. C. A. gave the purchaser its equivalent from its own supplies.

Not "Holler than Thou."

Denial was made by Dr. Mott that a "holler-than-thou" attitude was typical of Y. M. C. A. work. He said also that overseas secretaries were lenient in their dealings with soldiers. It undoubtedly was due to the fact that many of them were on duty for eight hours at a stretch, sometimes without meals.

In answer to the charge that Y. M. C. A. workers had dodged draft, Dr. Mott said that nine workers have been killed by shell fire while on duty and twenty-nine seriously gassed or wounded. Thirty-one others have died in service chiefly as a result of exposure and overwork. Ten have been cited for bravery or decorated.

Dr. Mott explained that the war work council would submit a new budget to the war department in connection with the expenditure of the \$100,000,000, which was its pro rata share of the fund subscribed in the recent United War Work campaign.

## Chicago's Roll of Honor



1—Capt. Kenneth Fletcher Rich, wounded.  
2—Lieut. James F. Bowers Jr., wounded.  
3—Lieut. Raymond H. James, wounded.

4—Private David Marine, wounded.  
5—Private Charles Beyer, gassed.  
6—Seaman John D. Fitzpatrick, died of pneumonia.  
7—Private Carl A. Kessenich, wounded.

8—Private James A. Brado, wounded.  
9—Private Kenneth A. MacKenzie, killed in action.  
10—Private William J. Hartnett, died of pneumonia.

### WOUNDED HERO COMING HOME AS CHRISTMAS GIFT

### Five Chicago Officers on Day's Battle Report.

killed his corporal and sergeant. Later he was gassed. Mrs. Kenny has another son in France, Lieut. Paul Kenny.

Lieut. Raymond H. James, machine gun company, Thirty-eighth infantry, was wounded Oct. 15, the war department has notified the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar James, 6814 Union avenue. He is their only son.

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## SOCIALIST TRIAL REVEALS GERMAN RULE OF PARTY

Germer Admits Split in  
Organization Over  
War Policy.

Formal accusations from within the Socialist party itself that its anti-war policies were German dictated and merely an echo of those announced from Berlin—charges which led to the resignation of John Spargo, their author, as one of the executive committee of five—proved a blow to the defense yesterday in the trial of Victor L. Berger, congressman-elect, and four co-defendants for violation of the espionage act in Federal Judge Landis' court.

The charges, contained in letters written by Spargo to Adolph Germer, general secretary of the Socialist party and one of the defendants, went before the jury while Germer was being cross-examined by Joseph B. Flanagan, assistant U. S. attorney.

Previously Germer had denied that German money had helped support the organization in its campaign of hampering the nation's war program.

**Party Split Over War.**

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## THEY SHOP EARLY

Youngsters Buy Christmas Cards and Aid the Fatherless.



FROM LEFT TO RIGHT:  
Marguerite Watson  
Elsa Armour.

## SANBORN'S MEN WON ADMIRATION OF AUSTRALIANS

"Made Good" with Haig's  
Hardest Fighters in  
First Battle.

New York, Dec. 19.—A new story of the bravery of members of Col. Joseph B. Sanborn's One Hundred and Thirty-first infantry was told today by Private Frank A. Johnson of Company B, who lives at 828 South Wabash avenue, Chicago. He was one of several hundred wounded Illinoisans who are in the big debarkation hospitals here. He is recovering from shrapnel wounds.

"It was on Aug. 9 that the One Hundred and Thirty-first went over the top with the Australians," he said. "I was in the first wave, carrying a Lewis' automatic gun, and our objective was a German machine gun nest. A shell burst near us, killing four of my comrades. I was the only man left alive of my unit."

**Win Anzac's Admiration.**

The One Hundred and Thirty-first, on that day won the admiration of the Australians. We had been treated kindly before by them, but we still had to "make good." After the battle they took us to their hearts as comrades. The regiment lost heavily in the engagement.

Another member of the One Hundred and Thirty-first, who won the Croix de Guerre, was Private Leo Goldsmith. While his company was in an advanced position, the company was sent back two miles with a message. The route he traveled was exposed to enemy machine gun fire.

"The first Mrs. Hewitt sailed for England today on the *Andrea Doria* to go home to have gone abroad to do war work.

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## ASKS U. S. RULE OF STOCKYARDS TO FREE MARKET

Trade Board Accuses 'Big 5' Packers of Unfair Competition.

[BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.] Washington, D. C., Dec. 19.—(Special)—Accusing the five leading packing companies of unfair competition and a purpose to extend their power over all sorts of articles of food, William B. Colver, chairman of the federal trade commission, appeared before the house committee on interstate and foreign commerce today in behalf of the administration bill giving the government control over the transportation and marketing branches of the industry.

Mr. Colver was the first witness in hearings which will continue for several days. He did not complete his testimony and the committee did not get far enough to disclose the line of argument to be followed by the opposition to the measure.

An inkling of objections to be offered was given, however, in questions by Representative A. G. De Walt of Pennsylvania bringing out the fact that counsel for the packers were not permitted to call witnesses or cross-examine during the hearings before the federal trade commission.

Does Not Favor Seizure.

"With respect to the meat industry the commission believes there are influences at work which are not in the public interests," Mr. Colver said. "It is our belief that these influences should be properly nullified and controlled without undue interference with private business."

"At no time has the commission suggested directly or indirectly that the government take over any packing plant. The commission does not now recommend any such thing. The difficulties lie so much in the preparation of meat and by-products as in the transportation and the marketing."

"The commission believes that in the marketing of live animals a free market does not exist. The five large establishments—Anheuser, Swift, Wilson, Cudahy, and Morris—do identify themselves in a continuing proportion in the purchase of live animals. Such an allotment must have an effect upon the price paid the producers of the animals."

Control the Market Places.

"The ownership of the yards was found to lie largely in the hands of the five big companies. It was found that the market places, the live stock exchanges, were unduly controlled; that the dissemination of market information and news and the publica-

### AMBITIOUS

Returning Warriors Don't Want Their Old Jobs but Insist on Better Ones.

## GAVE UP FOOD TO PAY FOR FUNERAL, WORKER ASSERTS

Stockyards Employee Adds to Testimony at Wage Hearing.

TURNING soldiers, who formerly were content to work for small pay in country towns, are demonstrating that their contact with army and navy life has broadened their view and has fired their ambition to do something more consequential than they did before.

Men who have made application for clerical positions in the city that will pay from \$90 to \$125 a month have acknowledged in numerous cases that they were formerly paid \$40 to \$50, but that they believe they can fill better positions.

These applications are being made at 116 North Dearborn street, the office of the United States Employment Service. This office began its work with the idea of getting his old job back for the returning soldier and sailor, but for months without breakfast. He had to do this, he testified at the packing employees' wage hearing before Judge Alvin L. Johnson yesterday. Otherwise, he said, he would have been unable to do that cost.

He testified also that under his present wage he cannot buy more than three pints of milk a day for his three small children and cannot buy other foods regarded as a substitute for milk.

### Texas Budget Read.

The family budget of Mrs. Elmer E. Ball of Fort Worth, Tex., wife of the organizer for the Amalgamated Meat Cutters and Butcher Workmen's union in that city, was read into the wage hearing before Federal Judge Samuel Alschuler yesterday. It follows:

Expenses from Feb. 19, 1918, to Nov. 19, 1918, for herself and husband and four children, the eldest of which is a boy of 11:

Food	\$1,150.00
Clothes	557.00
Amusements	15.00
Rent and Inc.	333.70

Total ..... \$2,081.70

His wife's income during this period, at \$42 a week, \$1,512.

The missing \$569 was made up out of her own salary of \$35 a week as secretary of the union, she said.

She testified that it would have been impossible to live on his salary as an American family should live.

### The Clothing Bill.

This was one family where the wife spent more for clothes than the husband. She spent \$155 for herself, \$146 for him, and \$256 for clothes for the children.

As for amusement she and her husband went to the movies once a month and the children even more.

Mrs. Ball told of the want and suffering in some of the homes of packing plant workers in Fort Worth during the influenza epidemic. She said their earnings had made it impossible for them to save for this time of illness.

**EASTMAN ON INTERSTATE BODY.** Washington, D. C., Dec. 19.—Joseph E. Eastman of Massachusetts has been chosen by President Wilson to succeed George W. Anderson as a member of the Interstate commission.

### Dr. Reinhardt Sued by Former Office Assistant

Dr. H. G. W. Reinhardt, who recently got into the limelight through his activities in the coroner's office, was made defendant yesterday in a suit for \$150 brought by Dr. I. S. Haney, who alleges he was employed by Dr. Reinhardt Oct. 7 to become his office assistant at \$10 a month. He alleges he was employed until Dec. 14 and received only \$126.

### Store Open Until Christmas



For the young men especially—4th floor  
STYLE headquarters here; the best models of the season particularly designed for the tastes of young men. Suits, overcoats, ulsters which embody the newest, snappy ideas; the military type developed by the war. The men coming out of the army will have the figures—high, straight shoulders, slender waist, full chest. You want to look right to them, as well as to others; now's the time and here are the clothes. Suits, overcoats, ulsters

\$25 \$30 \$35 \$40 \$50 \$60

### Luxurious overcoats—6th floor

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\$30 \$35 \$40 \$50 \$60 \$75 \$85 \$100 \$150

## Maurice L. Rothschild

Good clothes, nothing else  
Southwest corner Jackson and State

## HOG ISLAND COST TO BE \$63,300,000, PIEZ ESTIMATES

Should Be Completed in Sixty Days; Advises Going Ahead.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 18.—The cost of the great shipbuilding plant at Hog Island was estimated today at \$63,300,000 by Charles Piez, general manager of the shipping board's Emergency Fleet corporation. He told the Senate commerce committee that the yard, which has delivered one ship and has fifty keels laid, should be completed in sixty days.

Replying to a statement made by Senator Harding that the contracts for ships had been awarded to meet the war emergency, Mr. Piez said the emergency for ships had not passed and he recommended going ahead to meet the world tonnage shortage, which he estimated at 900,000 deadweight tons.

**CITY'S COOKS MIX NEW SAUCE WITH SMILE AS BASIS**

Prepare to receive better cooked food, served by a man whose smile will be almost a cures. The cooks and waiters of Chicago are agitating for an eight hour day and they say they'll get it.

The minimum amount of cost for a plant on a smaller scale was \$21,000,000 and this was increased later to \$27,000,000. Upon a survey to be made about Jan. 1 to determine whether the American International corporation is reducing operating expenses, Mr. Piez said, will determine whether the government shall take over the shipyard.

**Nine Millions in Fees.**

The minimum fees to be paid the American International corporation for construction of 180 ships, costing \$256,000,000, Mr. Piez testified, will amount to about \$8,910,000. In view of increased expenses, he said, the fees will amount to only slightly more than 2 per cent on the cost of production.

"Does the Emergency Fleet corporation propose to go on building ships at the present cost?" asked Senator Harding.

"We have not been instructed otherwise. It would be an expensive operation to quit now."

"Would you go on if it was your private enterprise?" Senator Harding asked.

"I believe I would."

**Compared with Other Nations.**

When the witness said the approxi-

mate cost of these ships would be about \$225 per ton, Senator Harding declared this was two or three times what other countries were paying.

Mr. Piez said England now pays about \$140 per ton and that the Emergency Fleet corporation had been contracting for cargo ships at about \$190 a ton, the cost depending on the type of ship.

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**Intermezzo**

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Switzer: Also to Enter Democratic Race

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Carey Presents Ult

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Sweitzer Also Reluctant to Enter the Democratic Race.

Roger C. Sullivan personally yesterday eliminated himself from consideration as a Democratic candidate for mayor. He told the Democratic executive committee, in session at Hotel Sherman, that he will not be a candidate under any condition that may be brought about.

Robert M. Sweitzer appeared before the executive committee. He left the committee with the exact knowledge that he prefers to be left out of the mayoralty situation. He didn't say that he would decline the organization if it came to him.

Carey Presents Ultimatum.

Thomas Carey delivered what amounted to an ultimatum. He said cold turkey to the committee that he is a candidate, that he will enter the primaries in February, and that he expects the organization endorsement.

City Treasurer Clayton F. Smith's case was presented by a delegation of 100 north side business men, who said that Treasurer Smith is ready and willing to become the organization slate and that northwest side Democrats in touch with the regular organization are for Smith.

Anton J. Cermak, backed by the unanimous endorsement of the Twelfth ward organization, announced that he is a candidate right up to the minute that the executive committee's choice is made.

Final Vote Due Today.

These were in the open development yesterday afternoon. The executive committee was in a three hour session and adjourned until 3 o'clock this afternoon, with the understanding that a final vote will be taken before Christmas. This would indicate a ballot possibly this afternoon and probably tomorrow.

The list of the Democratic situation, inside the regular machinery, is that the leaders are not convinced that Mayor Thompson is to be the Republican nominee for reelection. If they could assure themselves of this, as they see the Republican debagged situation, it appears to be a cinch that Robert M. Sweitzer would become the organization's candidate. To this mind, the Democratic managers agree among themselves that Thompson will be chosen as the regular candidate, and, under such circumstances, is likely to make the race. His nomination of election, naturally, would occasion a vacancy in the county clerk's office that would have to be filled.

Would Eliminate Sweitzer.

If the prospects for Mayor Thompson are not so good as the "big fellows" would like to believe it seems to be a certainty that Mr. Sweitzer automatically is eliminated. In that case the ultimate choice will get back to Thomas J. Webb, former County Treasurer Henry Stuckart, Alfred Austin, or City Treasurer Smith, Judge John J. Sullivan, or Judge Joseph S. Smith.

Some consideration was given, yesterday to Senator Ladd as a candidate in the Democratic primaries. There is an outside chance that he might be taken as the organization choice.

The Republican factions made no progress yesterday in getting together on anything that resembles a constructive mayoralty policy.

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## TREASURY CHIEF CALLS FOR MORE WAR FINANCING

Warns Against Relaxing  
Thrift in Announcing  
Fifth Loan.

Secretary of the Treasury Carter Glass, in the first detailed statement issued by him since he succeeded W. G. McAdoo, last night outlined in a message to J. B. McDougal, governor of the federal reserve bank of Chicago, plans for government financing in the near future. He warned against relaxation and self-satisfaction, pointing out that the war job is not yet completed and that the American people must continue to save and lend their savings to the government.

He indicated that the fifth Liberty loan, scheduled to be launched before the fiscal year ends, would be of short maturity, and that the people would be asked to continue their support to the general savings campaign.

Following is the statement, in part: "In the eighteen short months of the war American people subscribed for \$18,000,000,000 of Liberty bonds and war savings certificates. The banking institutions and the people of the country financed the requirements of the war in anticipation of the Liberty loan and of the taxes for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1918, by the purchase of a total of \$12,500,000,000 of treasury certificates of indebtedness, all of which had been retired or provided for out of taxes on bond issues at the time the armistice was signed. \$18,000,000,000 for Year.

"The expenditures of the government, excluding transactions in the principal of the public debt, during the current fiscal year, beginning July 1, 1918, to and including Dec. 16, 1918, exceeded \$9,600,000,000. Expenditures in November, nearly \$2,000,000,000, and in the current month of December, to and including Dec. 16, exceeded \$1,000,000,000.

"Secretary McAdoo has estimated that the cash outgo from the treasury during the current fiscal year, ending June 30, 1918, will amount to \$18,000,000,000, and much more than half of that amount has already been expended in the five and one-half months which have elapsed.

**Another Loan Imperative.**  
"The treasury must issue another large loan before the end of the fiscal year, and I am entirely in accord with the policy already outlined that this loan should take the form of bonds of short maturities.

"It is vitally important that the treasury should continue in a most energetic way the sale of war savings stamps and certificates. "Millions of our people have become holders of bonds of their government, but some of them seem to feel that they are under no further obligation to retain the bonds and then sell them or use the money for unnecessary purposes or exchanging them for other securities of doubtful value. So long as the United States needs to sell bonds those who hold the present issues should not dispose of them except under the spur of urgent necessity. They have invested in the best security in the world, and it is both to their own interest and to that of their government that these securities be retained.

**War Against Relaxation.**  
"There is no doubt that there is throughout the country a feeling of relaxation—a feeling of self-satisfaction that the work already is performed and a strong and not unreasonable call to take up once more individual and business community activity. The organizations which have given their time to the sale of bonds were prepared for the task which would have confronted them if the war had continued throughout the year 1918 or longer, and I am confident that despite these handicaps they will not now relax their efforts and leave the task unfinished. Victory has come to us earlier than we might reasonably have expected, but victory will not cause us to neglect the completion of that work which made victory possible."



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## FIND OPIUM ON SALE DISGUISED AS AN OLD FRIEND

**Robertson Threatens to  
Prosecute for Sale  
of Paregoric.**

Paregoric, containing a large amount of opium, is being freely sold in Chicago drug stores without a physician's prescription.

Health Commissioner Robertson learned of this last night at a meeting of the morals commission, which is seeking a law to curb drug addicts and lessen the use of narcotics. The commissioners announced that he intended to prosecute druggists under a state law which specifies that narcotics must not be sold without a physician's order.

### Sale Show Increase.

"The sales of paregoric have increased alarmingly," said the commissioner. "We learned that drug users had learned of the large amount of opium in paregoric and now they buy this to satisfy their craving for drugs."

United States Commissioner L. F. Mason testified before the commission. He said it would be a blessing to prohibit the sale of habit forming narcotics. He has had considerable experience in prosecutions of drug cases.

To show how easy it was to obtain paregoric, Dr. Robertson sent one of his men to a downtown drug store. He purchased a half pint of it without any questions being asked. It was analyzed and found to contain fifteen grams of opium. From one to two grams of opium is a dose for a drug addict. Dr. Robertson said.

### Enough Drug to Kill.

If a person, other than a drug addict, would drink the contents of an eight ounce bottle of this," said the commissioner, "it would kill."

The commission heard from Mabel Smith, a former user of drugs. She said she used drugs for a year, and took a cure of one month. She said she had no desire for drugs since. She said drug addicts could be cured, and most of them wanted to.

Dr. Robertson said he believed paregoric was responsible for the deaths of one-fifth of the infants who die before they are 1 year old.

### All Honorable Discharged Soldiers to Get Chevrons

Washington, D. C., Dec. 19.—Secretary Baker today directed that each soldier honorably discharged be furnished with two scarlet chevrons to be worn on the left sleeve as a recognition of his service to the country. The chevrons will be the same size and shape as those prescribed for service abroad.

### Governors' Petition for Suffrage Goes to Senate

Washington, D. C., Dec. 19.—[Special.] Bearing the signatures of a majority of the governors attending the Annapolis conference, a petition demanding immediate action on the suffrage amendment was today presented to the chairman of the suffrage committee in the senate by members of the National Woman's party.

## NEGROES CHARGE INJUSTICE BY U. S. IN CHICAGO JOBS

Investigation of the alleged injustice were contained in resolutions adopted today at a special session of the National Equal Rights League, which is holding a convention here.

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World Democracy, which closed sessions here today under the auspices of the National Equal Rights League, elected eleven peace commissioners to go to Versailles and present a petition for "abolition of all undemocratic restrictions" against the race.

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## REVEAL HEROIC POLICE DEEDS IN MEDAL CONTEST

Stories of Valor Told at  
Hearing to Judge  
on Award.

Chicago's police department bristles with heroes. The civil service commission knows this, because yesterday it was confronted with evidence of heroic acts on the part of several policemen. The commission is to decide the award of the Carter H. Harrison medal for bravery.

Following are the men recommended for the medal and the heroic acts they performed:

Temporary Lieutenant of Detectives Michael Hughes, with Detective Sergeant William L. McCarthy, on July 14, captured John King, a逃犯 from the Joliet penitentiary, and George Moran, a paroled convict, in a house at 151 West Twenty-first street. King and Moran were charged with having committed a number of robberies and were returned to the institution to complete their sentences.

### Rescued Four From Flames.

Police Officer Thomas Boyle of the Englewood station, for rescuing Mrs. Edward Marshall and her three children from a burning building at 6140 South Wabash avenue, Dec. 27, 1917. Detective Sergeant John Martin, for capturing Harry Lindrum, on a charge of killing Policeman Joseph Tieran of the Warren avenue station. Lindrum was hanged for the murder on Feb. 15, 1915.

Detective Sergeants John Smith and Patrick Alcock, the latter a brother of the first deputy, for the arrest of Horace Simmons, James Thompson, John O'Malley, and John Sullivan, after a revolver battle Oct. 2, 1917.

Police Officer John Jones of Shabbona avenue station, for capturing Joe Miller, after he and a companion had left a saloon at 2159 North Robey street, carrying a suitcase filled with stolen goods, on May 25, 1917. Miller at the time of his arrest was carrying a bottle of nitroglycerin.

### Catch Two of Gang.

Detective Sergeant William J. Boyd of Englewood station, for arresting Ralph Thompson and Ray Courtney on June 2, 1917. Kenneth Conway, another member of the gang, was killed by Sgt. Boyd after a chase of several blocks. The men were identified as having committed several robberies.

Police Officer William C. Doornbos of the Chicago avenue station, for the arrest of Frank Howard and Joseph Bender, after they had robbed Charles Hood, night clerk of the Dover hotel, 1108 North Clark street, Jan. 6, 1917.

Detective Sergeant Gustave Melcher of the Warren avenue station, for bravery in a revolver duel with Joseph Schrage. The latter was killed. Detective Melcher was exonerated by a coroner's jury. The incident occurred Nov. 29, 1917.

### Arrest Three Robbers.

Detective Sergeants Smith and Stark of the Town Hall station, for the arrest on July 18, 1917, of Chester Curtis, Joseph Henry, and George Harich, who

## GREAT CATS AND DOGS

Anti-Cruelty Society Entertaining Aristocracy.



H. L. Roberts

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## CITY MUST SPEED TO EQUAL RIVALS FOR RED CROSS

Midwestern States Show  
Great Increase in  
Enrollment.

BY MARQUIS EATON,

Chairman, Chicago Chapter, Red Cross. Every friend of the Red Cross who will help Friday, Saturday, or Sunday in completing the Chicago enrollment is urged to call at once at 101 Garfield building and obtain blanket and button money.

We need 1,600 more workers Friday morning, an additional 1,900 Saturday morning, and 26,000 more for the Sunday afternoon house to house canvass.

We need the members and we need the money. More than 16,000 families of soldiers and sailors in Chicago now look to us for help until their boys come home.

Chicago will have to hustle if it means to keep pace with the rest of the central division, composed of the states of Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa, Michigan, and Nebraska. In the Red Cross Christmas roll call.

Reports received by Frank W. Johnson, chairman for the central division, at his Chicago headquarters last night indicated memberships are piling up fast, even in communities where the women are seriously handicapped by influenza.

"These Red Cross campaigners have met emergencies in the same spirit that the Red Cross men and women

showed on the firing line in France," said Chairman Johnson last night. "If the state of Wisconsin and the city of Chicago come through, as I hope they will in an eleventh hour spurt, the central division's problem is solved.

### Nebraska Going Over.

"Optimistic reports are coming in by wire from all over the division. Nebraska, which last year recorded 525,740 memberships, or 43 per cent of its population, declares that the membership in this year's campaign will reach 55 per cent of the state's population.

"Iowa, whose record last Christmas was 1,037,511, sends this telegram: 'Iowa will enroll its million members and make a substantial increase.'

"Michigan, which enrolled 918,000 in last year's campaign, has reports indicating that its enrollment this year will go to 1,500,000. The state outside of Detroit seems to have gone almost 100 per cent."

"In Wisconsin conditions have been disheartening. Four-fifths of the state is combating influenza. In spite of this several towns are reporting increases in enrollment."

### Illinois Doing Well.

"Illinois outside of Cook county is setting a pace for all the rest of the states. Unless the reports from down-state are unduly optimistic this division will double its enrollment."

"The following telegram has come in from Washington: 'The central division has already exceeded its membership of last year in spite of influenza. The Atlantic division reports 2,000,000 members enrolled.'

"And so it is up to Chicago to put some pep into its campaign and keep abreast of the rest of the country. We are not complaining because of any apathy on the part of the public. We are literally thousands of people in Chicago who have been trying to enroll and have not been able to find any one around to take their membership. We have tried to remedy this situation, and hope to overcome it by tomorrow at the latest."

## There's Value in Every Stitch Men's Suits at \$35

Men accustomed for years to high grade clothing will be astonished at the superiority of these fine \$35 Suits. They give a man a well-dressed, prosperous appearance and their length of wear is exceptional. Our ideas of the greatest service possible to both civilians and those returning from cantonment and overseas are embodied in such Suits.

The Maximum of Economy and Practicability Is  
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## MARSHALL FIELD & COMPANY THE STORE FOR MEN



GUIDED through many successful years by men of constructive ideas and ideals, this bank occupies an important position among those interests promoting the prosperity of the nation.

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WILLIAM A. TIEDEN, President  
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JOHN FLETCHER, Vice-President  
GEORGE H. WILSON, Vice-President  
CHARLES FERNALD, Vice-President  
E. C. TUBBS, Cashier

Four saloonkeepers were made defendants in a suit for \$10,000 damages brought in circuit court yesterday. Mrs. Anna Bremister, defendant, permitted her husband to squander his money in their places and so deprived her and her four children of support. The defendants are George Maier, 734 Willow street; Charles Hansch, 1646 North Halsted street; Joseph Schulben, 1800 North Halsted street; and Mrs. Hedwig Fleiner, 1638 North Halsted street.

## Terrene Garden



## This torpedo hit an author

There happened to be a writer on board the SS. Laconia when she was torpedoed.

So now you can learn how it feels to be dumped into the Atlantic Ocean two hundred miles from shore at ten thirty on a winter night.

The writer was Floyd Gibbons, the well known war correspondent. The story<sup>1</sup> he tells in the January American Magazine is one breathless thrill.

Hundreds of Americans have had this grim experience, but if there hadn't been at least one good describer among the lot, you would have missed this first hand information.

<sup>1</sup> "At that Moment the Torpedo Hit Us," by Floyd Gibbons.

## The American Magazine

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The American Magazine  
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## CASUALTIES OF AMERICAN ARMY OVERSEAS

**WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 19.—Casualties of the American expeditionary forces which have not been published, but which have been announced officially by Gen. Pershing, had been reduced at noon Dec. 18 to a total of 64,882. These, the war department announced today, were classified as follows:**

**Major casualties, including killed in action, died of wounds, died of disease, and died of other causes, 1,680; wounded, 51,882; missing and prisoners, 550.**

**A large proportion of the 64,882 names listed as wounded are minor cases, it was said, many patients having long since recovered and returned to duty. Officials explained that the total is really less due to the fact that Gen. Pershing's total included marine casualties of 1,202 killed and more than 4,000 wounded, which already have been published by the marine corps headquarters here.**

**Army casualties reported today totaled 6,025, divided as follows:**

Killed in action.....	195
Died of wounds.....	52
Died of accident and other causes.....	22
Died of disease.....	211
Wounded severely.....	5,235
Wounded, degree undetermined.....	1,194
Wounded slightly.....	1,459
Missing in action.....	411
Total.....	6,025

**The lists contains all from Illinois.**

## LATE LIST

**KILLED IN ACTION.**

**PRIVATE.**

Otto Geyer, 26, Saline, Ill.

Charles J. Geyer, Aragonquin, Ill.

**DIED OF ACCIDENT AND OTHER CAUSES.**

**PRIVATE.**

George W. Hughes, Carrollton, Ill.

**DIED OF DISEASE.**

John D. McDonald, Tolosa, Ill.

Harry L. Wates, Elgin, Ill.

John Schap, South Holland, Ill.

Leo J. Townsend, East St. Louis, Ill.

Charles H. Clegg, Elgin, Ill.

Charles F. Geyer, Peoria, Ill.

**WOUNDED SEVERELY.**

**MAJORS.**

John Maitson, De Kalb, Ill.

William Robinson, Ottawa, Ill.

**CORPORALS.**

Edwin S. Verner, Superior, Ill.

John E. Miller, Sycamore, Ill.

Ralph B. Mitchell, Sycamore, Ill.

John F. Clegg, Elgin, Ill.

**MECHANICS.**

Eugene Larson, Woodstock, Ill.

John O'Brien, Williamsfield, Ill.

**PRIVATE.**

Edmond D. Hooper, Superior, Ill.

John E. Miller, Sycamore, Ill.

George Reine, Sterling, Ill.

Jacob J. Newlin, Joliet, Ill.

Percy J. Scodell, Newark, Ill.

Archibald S. Spence, Metropolis, Ill.

James E. Murphy, Joliet, Ill.

Henry Brown, Aurora, Ill.

Frank Corrigan, De Kalb, Ill.

John C. Murphy, Joliet, Ill.

Agnor E. Dahleham, Galesburg, Ill.

Theodore DeJouhet, Sycamore, Ill.

George E. Frazee, De Kalb, Ill.

Ella E. Fusselman, Quince, Ill.

Henry Hommer, New Douglas, Ill.

Albert Krupp, New Athens, Ill.

**MISSING IN ACTION.**

**LEUTENANTS.**

Charles T. Aver, Atlanta, Ga.

Yorke W. Brown, Brooklyn, N. Y.

A. Horace Campbell, Saltville, Va.

Albert B. Davis, San Antonio, Tex.

Richard G. Price, Los Angeles, Calif.

Albert Krupp, New Athens, Ill.

**PRIVATE.**

Ernest M. Johnson, Tacoma, Wash.

Asiel P. Doss, Memphis, Tenn.

Charles H. Tighman, Easton, Pa.

Joseph C. H. Johnson, Philadelphia, Pa.

David W. Lillard, Decatur, Ga.

Howard F. Meyer, 4419 Grand Boulevard, Chicago

Edward Grossbeck, Vicksburg, Miss.

James T. Pease, Cincinnati, O.

John T. Pease, Cincinnati, O.

Francis R. Hunter, Fort Ethan Allen, Vt.

Percy L. Jones, Florence, Ala.

Maurice S. Reeves, Philadelphia, Pa.

Charles E. Clegg, Elgin, Ill.

Harold C. Anthony, Newport, R. I.

Albert C. Johnson, Decatur, Ill.

John C. Burges, Portland, Ore.

Walter C. Cardwell, Portland, Ore.

Charles E. Clegg, Elgin, Ill.

Carl B. Godfrey, Austin, Tex.

Thomas E. Griffith, Washington, D. C.

William H. H. Green, New Haven, Conn.

Wayne A. Hopkins, Columbus, O.

Wood A. Lake, Marshall, Mich.

Alfred L. Lake, Marquette, Mich.

John W. L. Lake, Chippewa, Tenn.

Stephen F. McGiffert, Duluth, Minn.

Chase Mellen Jr., New York City.

John W. Meyer, Los Angeles, Calif.

George F. Murphy, Philadelphia, Pa.

Henry W. Meyer, Los Angeles, Calif.

Frank P. Murphy, Philadelphia, Pa.

James L. Pease, Cincinnati, O.

Thomas P. Read, Huntington, Pa.

Max L. Read, Elgin, Ill.

James Thomas Rowell, Selma, Ala.

William R. Sears, Auburn, Mass.

George A. Shuman, Rufus, N. H.

Frederick A. Thompson, Ontario, Can.

George R. Stevens Jr., New Canaan, Conn.

Walter H. Thompson, San Francisco, Calif.

William W. Young, Mich.

Earl M. Young, Caisseas, Pa.

**SERGEANTS.**

Richard Dedecker, Moline, Ill.

Ralph J. Kent, Marion, Ill.

John J. Martin, McLeansboro, Ill.

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John W. Murphy, Rockford, Ill.

Harold W. Murphy, Rockford, Ill.

Victor Anderson, Rockford, Ill.

George L. Morrison, Decatur, Ill.

David A. McNamee, Alton, Ill.

Peter G. Mavrokafas, Peoria, Ill.

Earl Herschel Pillow, Mason, Ill.

**PRIVATE.**

Robert C. Miller, Rockford, Ill.

## EARLY LIST.

**KILLED IN ACTION.**

**MAJOR.**

Henry Root Hill, Quince, Ill.

**CAPTAINS.**

Frederick W. Cobb, White Plains, N. Y.

Reuben W. Hutchcraft Jr., New York, N. Y.

**PRIVATE.**

Benjamin Harrison Ernest, Decatur, Ill.

**WOUNDED SEVERELY.**

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George J. McCarthy, Shamokin, Pa.

Arthur B. Moore, Blackhawk, Va.

Victor Vois, New York City.

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**CORPORAL.**

Lloyd N. Walker, East Moline, Ill.

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## KILLED IN ACTION.

PRIVATE.

John D. Sykes, Carbondale, Ill.

John D. Walker, Greenfield, Ill.

Wilbur C. Smith, Elgin, Ill.

William C. Sewell, Lewiston, Ill.

Albert S. Smith, Belleville, Ill.

Louis J. Gerasmanis, Elgin, Ill.

Charlie Braughton, Vandalia, Ill.

Ben Deters Jr., Breese, Ill.

John E. F. Frazee, Elgin, Ill.

Edie P. Bess, Vandalia, Ill.

John C. Bestmann, Koles, Ill.

Harold C. Bestmann, Koles, Ill.

Martin Burrow, Alton, Ill.

Herbert Moore, Raymond, Ill.

John J. Murphy, Alton, Ill.

Leo F. Rydick, Alton, Ill.

Theodore Lee, Murphyboro, Ill.

James Lafta, Sycamore, Ill.

Carl O. Larson, Kewanee, Ill.

Lieutenants.

W. Andrews, Celina, O.

John A. B. Bales, Rockford, Ill.

Sandford J. Basar, Murphyboro, Ill.

Leslie F. Kimmel, Carthage, Ill.

E. Mylin, Lancaster, Ill.

Lorraine M. J. McNamee, Decatur, Ill.

John D. Strope, Arlington, N. J.

Lincoln D. Whyte, New York City.

John F. Murphy, Elgin, Ill.

Clifton G. Herbig, Dayton, O.

Herbert M. Vandenberg, Decatur, Ill.

John W. Canfield, Memphis, Tenn.

Hans L. Farver, Akron, O.

Alfred A. Kettner, Carrollton, Ill.

John E. McGuire, Scranton, Pa.

John F. Munson, Colchester, Conn.

Frank N. Thompson, Bordentown, N. J.

John W. Williams, Elgin, Ill.

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Earl Herschel Pillow, Mason, Ill.

MECHANIC.

day Night Supper  
from the usual cheerless cold meal  
most delightfully home made of the  
serve a hot dish prepared at the table  
chat with the family and watch the  
ants go up.

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Prepare chicken à la King. Warm  
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Sunday night supper serve: Warm  
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RISE FOR THE TRIBUNE

Two Widows Need Help.  
Two aged widows need help. One,  
the mother of two children, sends in  
her own plea. A neighbor writes for  
the other. "There is an old lady of 65 years."

## CHARLEY TO FIX THE CHIMNEY UP FOR SANTA CLAUS

Neighbor to Clean It So  
Old Saint Nick Won't  
Get Sooty.

Yester night before Christmas and  
all through the house  
A creature was stirring, not even  
a mouse—

Charley is getting everything all  
fixed up so Santa Claus will have an  
easy time when he comes to Charley's  
house. Charley has heard that Santa  
does not always visit poor people, and  
while he doesn't want to believe this  
a minute, he's just a little bit  
alarmed that maybe it might be so.

That's the reason he is arranging for  
repairs at his house. He is going to  
talk a neighbor friend into cleaning the  
chimney so Santa won't get any  
soot on his snow sprinkled fur. That  
Charley feels confident, will make  
Santa's visit certain.

You will be charmed and a little sad  
when you read Charley's letter. He is a very  
little boy and he hasn't been to school  
so well so you will have to excuse his  
spelling and punctuation.

His Mamma Sick Five Years.

Here is what he says. Just the way he  
says it:

Dear Mr. Santa Claus. I am a poor  
little boy and my mama is sick. And I  
have 4 Sisters and 3 little brothers and  
one working but my sister. And  
Mr. Santa Claus my mama has been  
sick 5 years and my Sister says  
Santa Claus don't come to because  
he has to buy mama some medicine  
and she can't send Santa any money  
so Mr. Santa Claus can't you come to  
our house. And when I git to be a  
great big boy I will go to wok and pay  
you all back, so pleas come to our  
house and my mama and Sister happy  
so we can keep on buying my mama  
medicine so she can get better.

"And I told my sisters and brothers  
they must be good or else you won't  
come so Mr. Santa Claus I am going to  
be a good boy. when you come ask my  
mama and she will tell you. So Mr.  
Santa Claus come to our house. And  
you will see so you wont get heart  
sick when you are out in the snow and that  
your horse won't run away from you.  
Gee I wish I could get on the rut and  
clean the chimine out but I will not  
the man next door to clean it for me.

"Santa Claus I am going to bed and  
I will pray for you so pleas Santa Claus  
dont for get to come to our house.  
Goodby Santa Claus. Pleas dont for get  
me my name is Charles. Pleas dont for  
get to come to our house."

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## MORE CHICAGO CONCERNS GIVE HELP BONUSES

## ROUGH SLEUTHS BREAK UP EDDY'S NOBILITY TALES

Center of Hotel Lobby  
Group Spotted as an  
Ex-Convict.

nantly at the interlopers. The genial  
gentleman smiled weakly and paled.  
"Edwin Adonis De Long. Hal hal.  
Come along, Eddie, you can finish the  
talk at the bureau," said Detectives Sergeant  
Hoena and Birmingham escorted the late raconteur out of the hotel  
lobby and up the street, despite the  
fact that two of his listeners tried to  
intervene.

Remember Mr. De Long? He is  
known to the police as the king of con-  
fidence men and a poet and check  
writer of note. He was last arrested in  
Milwaukee, 1917, for forgery which net-  
ted him over \$3,000. He was sentenced to  
thirteen months at Joliet, paroled last July to a munitions plant at Mo-  
line, and later violated his parole.

**SHOT BY HIS OWN  
REVOLVER, JUDGE  
FINES HIM \$200**

A 10 per cent bonus was also an-  
nounced by Bradner, Smith & Co., 175  
West Monroe street, and by the follow-  
ing small yard concerns:

Boyd, Lunham & Co.  
Miller & Hart.  
Guggenheim Bros.  
Robert & Cade.

EW names were added yesterday  
to the long list of Chicago con-  
cerns which are to present em-  
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# MARSHALL FIELD & COMPANY

THE STORE OF THE  
CHRISTMAS SPIRIT



Only Four More  
Shopping Days Before  
Christmas!

WITH almost incredible swiftness Christmas approaches, and yet, even during these crowded last four days patrons will find here ample assortments, and articles which have an "out-of-the-ordinary" distinction. A hint of advance styles is creeping into the apparel showings; lovely versions of practical articles may be seen on all sides, meeting the challenge of utility with a Christmastime beauty; toys, books, furniture and rugs—gifts for kiddies and grown-ups—are here in assortments especially assembled for the convenience and delight of gift shoppers. The care and skill expended in our choice of these articles are reflected in their unusual character—of a quality to call forth approval of the donor's good taste.

The Last Two Days of the Exceptional Selling of Many Styles of

## Sweaters Suited for Gifts

THIS great purchase of beautiful Sweaters attracted the attention of a good number of gift shoppers last week, when it was first announced. The prices are unusually low for Sweaters of such qualities, and the styles include the delightful slipovers which so many girls and women like for wear indoors all season, as well as the coat styles which the Northern sports of skating and skiing, and the Southern diversions of golf, chair-riding, and tennis, make so welcome for gift purposes.

Wool Sweaters, \$4.75 to \$10.75

Nearly a score of styles, of which three are pictured at the left, offering slipovers of various lengths and belted coat styles of lovely soft mohair and Shetland yarns. Every Sweater in the collection is all wool.

Fiber Silk Sweaters, \$4.75 to \$20.

A limited number remains from the initial selling, including many brilliant colors and novelty weaves.

Pure Silk Sweaters, \$32.50

Just a few of these very handsome Sweaters, offering styles and qualities usually priced at much more. Ideal for Southern wear—and for Christmas giving.

## Exclusive Novelties

Quite irresistible Skating Sets of snowy Angora wools, with Hats and Scarfs or Sweaters to match, Crops and Stocks, Leather Driving Coats and Oiled Silk Ponchos—these are well chosen here for the consideration of gift shoppers.



With an Appropriate Gift Appeal  
Tricot Silk Underwear at  
Exceptional Savings

APPEALING to feminine fastidiousness, this Silk Underwear makes gifts especially charming for particular gift shoppers. Its very special prices will interest everyone.

Noticeable for the unusual quality, a Tricot vest is designed of heavy weight silk with a durable band top, \$1.95. Choosing a delightful Vest of rich, heavy silk, daintily embroidered, is a decision profitably made, when the price is but \$2.95.

Luxurious comfort awaits the recipient of soft Jersey silk garments recognized for their excellent wear and qualities. A heavy weight, Jersey silk vest, embroidered, \$4.50. Knickerbockers to match, open style, \$4.50. Specially priced.

Wool Floor, South Room.

## Such Quality in Gloves and Handkerchiefs

Instinctively Appeals to Those Who Judge Merchandise for Its Gift Distinction

EXPLORING the field of gifts one invariably finds satisfaction in Handkerchiefs and Gloves. The last hour purchase may be made with discriminating taste after an inspection of these interesting assortments, and assured of a hearty appreciation from the recipient.

### Gift Handkerchiefs

All linen Handkerchiefs, hand hemstitched with dainty hair-line stripe; others have hand-rolled hem, 65c, 75c, \$1.25, up to \$15.

So rare in import, exquisite Armenian Handkerchiefs will soon become heirlooms. A beautiful selection in sheer linen at prices that vary from \$1.25 to \$5.

Glove-size Madeira kerchiefs, hemstitched and embroidered; many with dashing colored borders are reasonably priced at 35c and 50c.

An endless assortment of styles, with striped borders, embroidered and scalloped edges, 35c, 50c, and 65c; sheer batiste in all white, 25c, 35c, and 50c; dainty kerchiefs, embroidered corners in white or colors, 25c, 35c, and 50c.

First Floor, Middle Room.

Children's novelty boxed Handkerchiefs at attractive "Santa Claus" boxes conceal three snowy white kerchiefs, 25c; Japanese inlaid wooden boxes may serve for a toy bank after the Handkerchiefs have been used, 35c.

Fourth Floor, North Room.

Men's Handkerchiefs, also Mufflers, of the most exquisite weaves and colors vary from the quiet shades to the most gorgeous Mousquetaire. Gloves vary from \$3 to \$6; available in all light shades and white, in fine selected skins.

First Floor, North Room.

### Gloves for Gifts

The Glove Section easily solves the Christmas problem in well-cut, well-sewn gloves in the season's most desired colors and styles that complement the approved modes.

Pique and PXM sewn Cape Gloves, one clasp style in white, ivory and tan may be had for \$1.50.

Overseam sewn, in tan, gray and black, two-clasp style at \$2; also Pique and PXM sewn in white, tan or dark brown.

Pique capeskin in brown, gray or khaki color; also overseam sewn in dark brown or tan at \$2.50.

Two-clasp style in a lightweight, overseam sewn, all the season's shades with contrasting stitching and black and white, \$2.75.

Of excellent quality is the Pique French kid in tan, gray, black or brown at \$3.

Particularly well made are the Alexandre French Kid Gloves that may be had in all sizes and colors, two-clasp style, \$3.25.

According to length and quality the Mousquetaire Gloves vary from \$3 to \$6; available in all light shades and white, in fine selected skins.

First Floor, North Room.



Excellent Blouses at \$8.75

### Appropriate for Gifts

AMONG the most pleasant of gifts that could greet a woman on Christmas morning, is a fresh, smart Blouse—a ready complement to her suit. A number of Georgette Crepe styles have been especially priced at \$8.75. Those illustrated reflect their smartness.

The one to the left derives its tailored air from a yoke formed of pin tucks, and narrow plaited frills. Filet pattern lace and black ribbon distinguish the collar and cuffs.

A large plaited collar and cuffs, edged with Valenciennes pattern lace, a black and large pearl buttons are the individual marks of the other.

### Many Other Blouses of Marked Daintiness

MANY hundred new Blouses have recently arrived in this Section. They bear all the marks of smartness and cleverness expected from their newness, and are conveniently arranged and grouped for the gift shopper.

Fourth Floor, South Room.

### Wear Your Red Cross Button

LET every one know that "The Greatest Mother in the World" has your support, and that you are proud to wear the badge which signifies membership in the American Red Cross.

Various convenient desks in this Store for your registration. Just two more days of this Christmas Roll Call Week—do not let it pass without your membership.

### Gifts to Make a Boy Happy

THE Boys' Own Room has any number of suggestions, but among the most popular demands one is certain to have to include:

Aviator, Military, Cowboy, Indian and Police Play Suits, \$2.25 to \$8.75.

Coats, lined with sheepskin, 26 to 36, \$15.

Sweaters—Heavy gray Shaker knit Sweaters with large roll collars, two pockets, and of excellent weight. Sizes 32 to 36, \$8.

School Sweaters—Shaker knit, extremely warm, have large roll collars. Very special at \$7.75.

Wash Suits—Most appropriate gifts for the younger boy. Fast color fabrics and a large variety of styles are offered at \$3.50.

The Juvenile Floor, the Fourth.

### A Gift of Comfort

#### Blanket Robes Are Much in Demand as Gifts for Women

AMPLY prepared is the Section, too, with many styles of good, cozy, Blanket Robes at various prices.

At \$5—Indian patterned blanket cloths are made into good Robes, trimmed with satin ribbon on pointed collars, turn-back cuffs and pockets. Cord girdled.

At \$6.50—A very charming style for gift purposes is of soft, beautiful blanket cloth, in dark or medium colors, trimmed all the way down the front, and on collar, cuffs and pockets with good satin ribbon. Navy blue patterned with scarlet and bound with scarlet ribbon is one of the many attractive color combinations.

At \$7.50—A collarless style trimmed with two broad bands of satin ribbon around the neck and with the ribbon down the front, on pocket and turn-back cuffs, is made of a charming, flower-patterned blanket cloth in various colorings.

### Such Corduroy Robes Are Always Acceptable

HERE are styles, buckled as to belts and buttoned as to fronts which assume a tailored air they might well be worn about one's home on a cool morning. These are made of a good quality of corduroy in lovely colors and all are daintily lined with plain or flowered batiste. Interesting styles at

\$10.75, \$12.75, \$13.75

Fifth Floor, South Room.

### A Gift That Saves a Woman Household Drudgery

#### An Electric Cleaner, \$37.50

IF a man did the housework he wouldn't hesitate a minute in getting one of these Cleaners. A demonstration would prove to him how scrupulously clean the home could be at all times, while minimizing the labor. We believe this particular Electric Cleaner—"The Gloria"—to be one of the most effective made. Just a few important points:

The nozzle is fourteen inches long and the casing is of solid cast aluminum, while the total weight is only ten pounds! The nozzle brush is moved by gears, catching every little thread. It cleans carpets, rugs, floors, mattresses, bedding, clothing, walls, draperies, radiators, etc.

Four separate attachments for special cleaning, at \$8.50 the Set.

Household Utility Section, Ninth Floor, Wabash Avenue.



## Newest Frocks to Replenish College Girls' Wardrobes Reflect Coming Spring Styles

A NEW collection of Misses' Frocks displaying smart street, afternoon, and party models is awaiting the holiday selections of the young woman home from college. Enthusiastic will she be over these advance Spring styles, ordered especially for her and offered in plenty of time to spend her Christmas vacation becomingly!

Accompanying the very smart suit Frock of navy serge pictured above at the left, is a pocketed waistcoat of blue and silver brocaded cloth. Black buttons outline its slashed tunic. \$40.

The charming afternoon Frock pictured in the center reveals the chubby combinations of Georgette crepe and satin. Its tone is perceptibly brightened by bands of peacock blue, bugle beads, and a corsage of strawberries. \$55.

Misses' Section, Sixth Floor, North Room.

## Cozy Japanese Quilted Comforts for Babies

PACKED in Oriental tissue, tied with dainty strings, encased in bags which carry bright Japanese prints, come Carriage Covers, Baby Bunting, Robes and Coat Linings created in Japan for American babies. A Christmas remembrance from these assortments—many just arrived in time—is quite certain to delight a Mother and to contribute to a baby's comfort.

Baby Bunting, of blue or pink China silk, hand quilted and hand embroidered charmingly on hood and Bunting with roses. Hood has ribbon so it may be drawn closely to baby's face. \$7.50.

Coat Linings, of white China silk inside and out, interlined and cross-quilted by machine, make baby's lightweight coats warm enough for Winter wear. \$3.95.

Carriage Covers, lovely ones warmly interlined, and hand quilted. Plain, silk both sides, \$3.50; delicately hand embroidered in blue and pink. \$6.50.

White Eiderdown Bunting (from America), silk lined in hoods, cotton flannel lined in bags, bound with pink or blue satin ribbon, at \$3.50 and \$4.95.

Party Frocks for Girls and Juniors

Charmingly girlish affairs of net, crepes de Chine, crepes Georgette and other silks, hand embroidered and simply made. Ideal for a Christmas gift to a girl from 6 to 14 or a "junior" 13 to 17, for holiday wear.

Infants' Frocks—white ones from France, Philippine Islands and America, many styles, 6 months, 1 and 2 year sizes. Others, 2 to 6 year sizes, for gift-choosers.

Infants' and Children's Sweater Sets, as well as Fur Sets for wee toddlers. Wash Suits for Baby Boys are here also in notable assortments.

Infants' Wear, Fourth Floor, North Room.



SECT. GENER. SOCIETY MARKETS

BOYHOOD CALLS PIP OF MANY  
Child Bride of 1  
More Light  
Character

Milo H. Piper's first wife was married when he was located in Oakland by The Tazurus. New furnished by her conqueror of the Muskegon who is now held in with the number of his moon in 1916, and his bride's birth and his

The bride of his year as Miss Iva Goodenough was his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George, at 2331 Eleven Lane. She married Piper when she was only 16 years old, that even in those days he played an interest in her home. The same character of the Muskegon author more pronounced and in the years, is what he Piper to a call fair murder.

Says She's Not Me

Miss Goodenough added characteristic of love of luxury. There such, she said, that she forgot it. Reports followed his advances after their divorce and then they were dissolved. She was married to Mr. George Chang some years ago in connection with a matrimonial arrangement, she said, was her cousin.

I was married to Milton Harbor in 1903, met at a party, and after for about a year we lived together for our marriage gossip me that my husband and other women. I did condoning such an off with him. He never denied the rumors, he said. I left him and divorce. This was grand

Trying to

"I came with my parents five years ago. Piper is concerned further communication have I heard from him. I was only a child when there and there may have developed a maiden name and the whole circumstance.

When I asked the maid of honor in Chicago, Miss Goodenough is known there, said she is a cousin of mine. She and has often been ta

Used Three

Prosecuting and yesterday started a session of every move of the

Discovery that Piper's wife name is Mrs. Emilie Carlson led the officials to believe of his life during years may never be known. In the fact that Piper's marriage license was at Saginaw, Mich., the motive for trying to identify him, the time learned that he had Goodenough in 1903 a Mich., and she obtained year later.

Seek to Bar

Whether or not he has been in the years 1903 of the questions of to find an answer for.

Piper had some reason to give his right married his present Muskegon official.

"We have discovered name of Richard Piper engaged in the little business in Chicago. His Christian name of R. bought his automobile honeymoon' trip to the Welchman in the spring of 1916. He used the car a third time when Illinois secretary of a license.

"This is the first time I found him using the which was that of his marriage."

Find Girl W

The Michigan state and coroner during satisfaction to her came to her defense before she was laid to rest. The body of the man, the second time the coroner's office, was conducted the post-mortem examination.

Following the examination, Mr. Jackson and a young woman had disappeared and other in Virgil violence. The conducted the post-mortem examination.

This finding is direct report made by Mr. Jackson, who at the time of the discovery of the man found no broken bones on the ground.



**On a Gamble**  
**Johnny Gamble**  
**Wins a Gamble**

**FASHION'S**  
**BLUE BOOK**

**THREE THOUSAND AN HOUR.**  
Produced by Metro. Directed by John Hamilton. Starring Hale Hamilton, Eddie Lee Stewart, Polly Moran, Robert Douglas, Jim Polson, Robert Whittier, Eddie Loring, Robert Middendorf, Mrs. Pauline, Isabel O'Malley, Col. Bunker, William Frederic.

By Max Tine.

An enthusiastic reporter blew up to my desk and said:

"I have just been to see a great picture. Quite naturally, I asked:

"Where, O, where—what, O, what?"

The result of my conversation led me to review "Five Thousand an Hour," which features Hale Hamilton.

I can quite readily see where this picture might appeal to men, for it has a business atmosphere. The hero of the story is up against the unique situation of having to make a million in six weeks if he would marry the girl of his heart. Until he gets the money she is a victim of one of those funny wiles which makes her helpless to a million if she marries a certain poor specimen and leaves her penniless if she refuses to do so. There's the plot for you.

Though Hale Hamilton works fast and courageously to imitate Douglas Fairbanks, he leaves me neutral. Not that he is not a thousand times genuine, though dear knows he offers you plenty of both. He is not a poser, however, and goes through most of his emotions in a lifelike and understandable manner.

His principal assistant in the picture is Eddie Lee Stewart, who certainly does improve as the year goes on. I used to like her not at all. In this picture I liked her very much.

The story is from the pen of George Randolph Chester. Photography and directing need not be criticized. The upholding cast is quite a story collection of pros.

The reporter said it was a great picture.

**Tribune Cook Book**

BY JANE EDDINGTON.

People will never learn to cook until they can and will realize that eating may be the most beautiful instead of the coarsest of performances. Once realizing this to the full, they will go at the business of cooking as though their life depended upon it, as it so largely does.

A young wife said to me recently, when I was reading her some delicious passages on eating from an old book, that her husband was always more anxious to have the dishes tasting especially well when they were ready, when he came into the kitchen to help. His mouth watered for his meal. He was enthusiastic about its approach.

Now, under such circumstances, it would seem as though people would eat more, but I am convinced by a recent experience that the way to get on with less is to have it all so satisfactory on the tongue that satiation of that organ is far more quickly reached than the other condition prevails.

In an old book which gives 300 pages to extolling good cookery, there is an account of what is called the table episode. "Cooking up the chafing dish at the table" is the table episode. Dripping the said, pouring the tea or the coffee, and cutting the cake or pie are table episodes. If done in the right way these stimulate appetite as going into the kitchen does. Appetite is never destroyed by preparing food but by some other circumstance. Of course there are people who scoff at these ideas. This is because they have not studied eating. Eating is still with them a rude or vulgar necessity.

Almost of century ago a learned woman cried out to her countrymen:

"To your casseroles, then, women of Britain, and turn your thoughts to that art which, coming into action every day in the year during the longest life, includes within its circles the whole philosophy of economy and order, the preservation of good health, and the tone of good society—and all peculiarly within your province! The greatest women of all time—Sarah, the mother of the faithful, to Sevigne—have not disdained its study in its practice. One-quarter of the time you now give to other things, if devoted to the philosophy of your larders and your pantries, to the doctrines of a pure culinary literature, would furnish your husbands' tables with elegance and science, and prove that one exquisite little dinner (the table round, the guests seated, if dressed with science and taste) is worth in value all the great feasts and banquets that ever were given. If, considered as a means to the end of bringing these together whom nature has joined, and family dinners have cut asunder."

**The Beauty Sign**



**Happiness for Husbands and Wives with Continued Business Success.**

Through the judicious use of BEAUTO cosmetics the personal appearance of the husband and wife is his greatest asset. The permanent charm of the husband is his chief attraction.

Free scientific instruction in the BEAUTO EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY as to the use of BEAUTO cosmetics—moisturizing cream after shaving for the husband, nail polish, cuticle remover, hand jelly, and face powder for the wife. Cleaning, makeup, stockings, gloves with the other accessories will prove one of the greatest investments that were ever made in a happy home.

Why pay a dollar to the manicurist and a heavy tip to the barber when you can not feel interesting conversation and save your money in your own home?

Drop in to our laboratories, but call Randolph 260 and delivery will be promptly made. Be sure to secure your free entrance certificate to the BEAUTO EDUCATIONAL LABORATORY with each purchase.

**SAMUEL C. OSBORN CO.**  
Masonic Temple, Chicago.



**American "League"**  
**Stopped Six Wars**

John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American union, speaking before the international conference on relations of the Woman's club yesterday, said the "American League of nations" in Washington in twelve years has prevented six wars on the western hemisphere. He added:

"Today it is the actual moral influence which is holding back Chile and Peru from going to war. Since the union was organized thirteen years ago there has been no war between any American countries."

"It has been my privilege to discuss this plan with such men as Latin American and United States senators and congressmen, with editors and other representative men and I have found them all favorable to the plan."

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**Pastor to Aid Service Men.**

The Rev. C. O. Helmig, pastor of the University Congregational church, has been appointed by the Chicago Church Federation council to represent the federation on the bureau of employment for returning soldiers and sailors. Dr. Helmig is chairman of the commission on church and labor of the Chicago Church federation.

**OBITUARY.**

**Funeral Services for**  
**George T. Kelly Today**

Funeral services for George T. Kelly will be held in private at St. Mary's church in Evanston today, owing to the department of health orders barring public funerals on account of the influenza epidemic. Public services are planned for Kelly at the cathedral at 10 o'clock next Monday morning.

Solemn high mass will be sung by the Rev. Thomas V. Shannon, Archibishop Mundelein will assist in the services. The interment today will be in Calvary cemetery. The Right Rev. Mr. Kelly will conduct the services.

**C. H. McKee of St. Louis**  
**Globe-Democrat Is Dead**

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 19.—Charles H. McKee, president of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, died tonight at his home from pneumonia which followed an attack of Spanish influenza a week ago. Mr. McKee is survived by his widow. He was 66 years old and had been connected with the Globe-Democrat thirty-two years. He was elected president of the newspaper in October of 1915.

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## DEATH NOTICES.

Mrs. T. H. see Walker, Mrs. D. H. first beloved wife of Capt. Charles T. H. Walker, died Saturday, Dec. 18, from late complications. Interment at Oakdale Cemetery.

Margaret Wallia, Dec. 18, beloved wife of Joseph Wallia, died Saturday, Dec. 18, from late complications. Funeral services at 9:30 a.m. from the residence of Lazarus Wallia, Oneida Lady of Calvary cemetery.

W. Weston Lyle Veltie, aged 9 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weston Veltie, died Saturday, Dec. 18, 1918, private. Friday, Dec. 21.

John F. Walsh, beloved son of Mr. and the late John Walsh, son of Harry E. Joseph and the late Mrs. W. Walsh, died Saturday, Dec. 18, from mother's residence at St. Cecilia's church, 2140 N. Paulina street, Calvary cemetery.

Calvary. Member of the Knights of C. and St. Cecilia's Lodge.

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## 20 \* AGREEMENT ON BILL NECESSARY TO BOXING LEGISLATION

BOYER RECALLS  
UNITED EFFORT  
LAST SESSIONMeasure Passes House  
for First Time, One Vote  
Shy in the Senate.

Thomas A. Boyer, author of the accompanying article on legalised boxing, was a member of the last state legislature from the Fourth district, chairman of the committee on contingent expenses, and a generally recognized floor leader of the last two sessions. He is president of the Tompkins-Sumner Co., dealers in packers' by-products, and was not a candidate for re-election.

BY THOMAS A. BOYER.

The idea of helping the next legislature to pass a boxing bill it might be well to tell the story of the boxing bill in the last legislature.

A number of bills were introduced and referred to the committee on license and miscellany, where the discussion brought forth a wide difference of opinion among the committee and introduces. The whole matter was referred to a subcommittee of five of which the writer was chairman. We immediately notified the leading papers and athletic clubs of a meeting at the La Salle hotel the following day and invited all interested to have a representative present. Every one noticed was present at the meeting, including such writers as Ray Pearson of the Tribune, Ed. Smith of the American and Sam Hall of the Examiner, and many others.

All Good Ideas Collated.

There was a full and open discussion on every possible general bill and a special committee fully noted with the idea of putting together a bill that would pass, protect the public, and make it possible for the legislator to go home to his district and not have to apologize to his people for a bill which would discredit both him and his state.

The committee returned to Springfield the same night at 11:30 p. m., where Mr. Epstein and the writer awoke the secretary of the legislative reference bureau, went to his office, and there prepared the bill known as house bill No. 739, and introduced it the following day.

The only Chicago enthusiast to come to Springfield and lobby for the bill was Leonard Hicks, but the committee itself became interested, and for the first time in history a boxing bill passed the house. The vote, in fact, was eighty-four votes, or seven more than enough to pass. The senate had several times passed a boxing bill.

Only One Vote Short.

The house bill was introduced in the senate by Senator Garman of Cook county, who after a strenuous campaign, succeeded in getting twenty-three votes, or three votes short of the required number. In reality it was closer than the figures indicate, as two senators had promised their vote if we could produce twenty-four on roll call, twenty-six being required. Thus the bill passed the house and lost by one vote in the senate.

Our success with this bill was due to the fact that the commission was absolutely under control of the government. All legislators voted for the bill because of the bill in Gov. Lowden, who would appoint the commission. The commission had control of every detail through its referees, inspectors, and box office men.

I have been told recently by a number of men who voted against the bill that they could now vote for a boxing bill properly safeguarded.

Concentrate on One Bill.

It might be well for those interested to send for a copy of house bill No. 739, Fiftieth general assembly, and see the foundation for a bill that can be enacted. If a great number of bills are introduced with the accompanying pulling and hauling for individual support, we will have the same old story. The individual bills in the last legislature would not have received fifty votes each on passage, but a really good committee bill passed the house and was defeated by the senate by one vote.

Let the members concentrate their energy on one good bill and let that bill be handled by the chairman of the committee to which it will be referred, and I have no hesitancy in predicting the passage of a bill which will be a credit to the state and make it possible to place athletic exhibitions of boxing on a high plane as baseball.

Langford Leaves Today  
for Fight with Fulton

Sam Langford decorated the loop with his presence yesterday. The dusky person who refuses to believe he is the least bit passé, tastefully, wanted one more peck at the Chicago Christmas shoppers before departing for San Francisco, where he has an engagement to swap wallops with Fred Fulton. Just when that swapping will take place hasn't been announced, but Sam says he's ready any time and will depart today.

Stecher, Out of Navy, Will  
Try for Wrestling Title

Joe Stecher, the Nebraska heavy-weight wrestler, who has for several months been a bluejacket at Great Lakes Naval Training Station, is on his way home. Stecher received his discharge from the navy and quickly slipped aboard the battleship to take him to Dodge, Neb. He intends to rest for a few weeks, then make another effort to attain the title. He's taken a leave of the navy service and now weighs 250 pounds.

Woods and  
Waters by LARRY ST. JOHN

BIRD NOTES.

TAKE a dark night, a lonely road, preferably past a cemetery, the hooting of a horned or barred owl and you have the ingredients of a wonderful shiver race up and down your spine. These are to hooters and small boys a greater fear than they ever do on their ways to school. Poets from biblical times down to the present have mentioned the doleful hoot of the owl, attributing it to melancholia. Micah mentions "the mourning of owl," but he was a better poet than



naturalist, for the owl's "music" is merely his love serenade to his "lady." To us it may sound eerie, but it must be music to the plump, brown lady perched high in the "elbow" on the other side of the woodlot. Not only does the horned owl hoot but he gives forth an unearthly shriek that makes the hair on the nape of your neck sort of bristle—a remnant of the fear early man must have had for the opening of a dark night.

The horned owl is one of the largest, strongest, fiercest, and most destructive of our owls. He can, and often does, catch fairly large animals and does not hesitate at a skunk. One night, while making a short cut back to camp through the woods we heard and smelled a battle between horned owl and a pole kitty in which the owl was the victor. An hour later he struck his blommin' lyre and tore off a pearly feather.

Chance to See Mileage.

It is not at all improbable that Exchange Springs, Mo., a short distance from Kansas City, will be desirable during the month of April. Other spots might be Little Rock, Ark., Joplin, Mo., or even Wichita, Kas. A considerable amount of mileage would be saved in selecting any of those places and at the same time games could be played, perhaps to as many patrons as in any of the Texas cities.

However, Comiskey is opposed to the short schedule and although the American league magnates voted in favor it is not at all assured of being adopted. Should the short schedule be taken it would not be necessary for a team to start training before the last week of March and in that case a point farther north might furnish acceptable weather.

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The horned owl is not as bold as the goshawk he probably kills as much game. His flight is noiseless and he slips through the darkness of a black night like a shadow and his strong claws and cruel beak make short work of any hapless bird or beastie he selects for his midnight supper. He is the only large, dark colored owl with prominent ear tufts.

BOXING MEASURE  
DRAWN TO ALLOW  
SIX ROUND BOUTS

BY RAY PEARSON.

With Judge Bernard P. Barasa officiating as chairman, long strides were made last night in framing a boxing bill to be introduced when the legislature convenes at Springfield next month.

The meeting of the Manly Arts league, the third held for the purpose of bringing about legislation that will permit legalized boxing in Illinois, resulted in the Arts league being a permanent organization. It previously had been a temporary organization, consisting of boosters of boxing.

With Judge Barasa as president, other officers elected were:

Vice president—Representative Michael L. Treasur—Oscar Kupper, president, Loran Square Athletic club.

The meeting was attended by State Senator Daniel Herlihy of the Fifth district and three state representatives, James P. Boyle, Michael Iglesias, and S. B. Turner. Edward R. Litsinger of the board of review also was present. The gathering totaled fifty enthusiastic boosters for boxing.

Practically every phase of boxing was discussed, with the result that the measure will be drawn up by an attorney today and go to the printer tomorrow. The measure, of course, will be subject to revision, and whatever these revisions are will be determined at the next meeting to be held Dec. 27 at the Spalding clubroom.

The bill as at present arranged calls for six round bouts to a decision, under commission control as in Wisconsin, and New Jersey, where the sport is legal. Incorporated in it are several clauses which appear in the measures successful in those states.

A committee on the boxing bill was appointed consisting of Judge Barasa, Edward R. Litsinger, Michael L. Iglesias, Eddie Glaser, and Thomas White.

NOTES FOR WRESTLERS.

Joe Wadsworth, heavyweight wrestler of the Whiting Owls, will make his reappearance in the city tonight when he takes holds with Eddie Glaser and Thomas White.

Charles Cullen and John Fritchko will meet in a finish match tonight at Belmont hall, Belmont and Clark streets.

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COMMY CAN'T DECIDE  
WHERE TO TAKE SOX  
FOR SPRING TRAINING

BY JAMES CRUSINBERRY.

A suitable training trip for the White Sox this spring is one of the problems confronting Owner Comiskey of the south side club and so far he has felt that his hands are tied in the matter. While the camp at Mineral Wells, Tex., has been quite satisfactory in the last few years, indications are that this will be changed and until the major league magnates decide upon the length of the schedule at the joint meeting of Jan. 18, Comiskey feels it may be impossible to decide the question of a spring trip.

"We haven't made any definite plans yet," said Comiskey last night. "There's plenty of time and, of course, we don't know yet when the season will start. I guess we'll get the boys the pay-off right at Dallas."

When Manager Rowland and Secretary Grabiner of the Sox attended the meeting of the National Association of Minor Leagues at Peoria in November both were apprised by Ham Patterson, owner of the Dallas club, and offered the choice to the latter at that spot.

The reported the matter to Comiskey, who was asked last night if the team might go to Dallas he stated that if it went that far south it probably would go back to Mineral Wells.

Consequently it seems that the Sox may train at some point nearer Chicago, providing the short schedule of 154 games is adopted, and will go to Mineral Wells or some Texas point if the former schedule of 154 games is adopted. Should the short schedule be taken it would not be necessary for a team to start training before the last week of March and in that case a point farther north might furnish acceptable weather.

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3 children and their parents that's

going to have a perfectly miserable

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them with their need garments of

all kinds and all the food stuffs ex-

cept bananas and cheese.

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From their showing it looks as if

Coach O'Court's men will cut some fig-

ure in the basket games booked with

the big teams of the middle west.

Capt. Charles from Wisconsin led

the basket with eleven, while

the team was minus Dri-

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leave tomorrow with the football team

for California. Score:

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## FOURTH LIBERTY LOAN BONDS AT NEW LOW MARK

Selling by Small Investors  
Blamed for Fall in  
the Price.

### BY GLENN GRISWOLD.

Liberty loan fourth 4% made a new low record of 94.76 yesterday and at that date yield 4.65 per cent. This situation is predicated largely on market considerations. It may not indicate that the credit of the United States is falling toward a 1 per cent basis, but it does give a fairly accurate measure of the extent to which the people shed their patriotism when the whistles blew Nov. 11.

Although there is some selling of large lots, the bulk of liquidation comes from the parvenu among investors relinquishing \$1,000 denominations and smaller bonds. Such demonstrations are made yesterday to make the problem of the next loan increasingly difficult and emphasize the urgency of offering it on an investment basis.

### Many Explanations Given.

The street was full of explanations of the liquidation. Folks were converging the bonds of the day. Some of these purchases were swaying up their cash balances before making an annual report, banks were cleaning up in preparation for the next loan, and large investments were being switched. Back of all of this, however, is the fact that the average investor either does not understand or does not respect his obligation to hold the bonds until war financing is completed.

There was an inclination to interpret official figures issued yesterday showing returns of Canada's latest Victory loan as a rebuke to the country. It is noted that not only did the amount of this single loan amounted to 190 per capita and that the total Canadian war indebtedness amounts to \$170 per capita, approximately the same as that of the United States, a vastly more wealthy country on any basis of comparison. The campaign began Nov. 1 and closed six days after the armistice was signed.

### Interest Is Higher.

Incidentally bankers use this as an argument that we can float a large loan after peace if Canada can double its note in the midst of a peace celebration. However, it should be remembered that the Canadian bonds are entirely tax-exempt and yield 5% per cent. On a similar basis it is probable that a \$10,000,000 loan could be placed in this country and the books closed in twenty-four hours.

## CHICAGO STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Chicago stocks were dull and price movements irregular. The packing house shares were in but moderate demand.

Union Carbide worked up fractionally, but was not demanded. Meanwhile, it was announced that the Anacoco Co. would probably become a competitor in the carbide business.

The bond market was almost neglected.

Frankly transaction and Edison bonds commanded little interest. The street's situation is now such that most holders of securities appear to wish to sell rather than buy.

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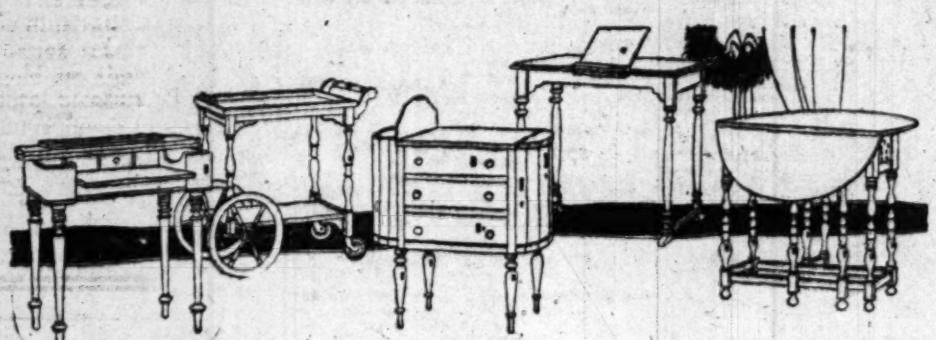
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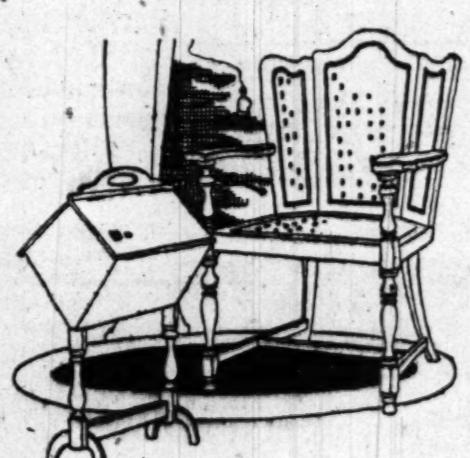
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